WEATHER FORECAST
Snow and colder tonight. Saturday generally fair.

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LEADER OF BANDIT GANG IS TAKEN

TAX INCREASE IN CITY TOLD TO ENGINEERS

L. A. Baker, Deputy State Tax Commissioner, Analyzes Situation in Bismarck

TWO GENERAL CAUSES

Principal Cause in City Levy Increase Water Works Bonds, He Asserts

An analysis of the causes of increased taxes in the city of Bismarck was presented to the local chapter of the American Association of Engineers at a dinner meeting at the McKenzie hotel last night by Lyman A. Baker, deputy state tax commissioner. After outlining the increased tax burdens for the stato as a whole for the last several years, Mr. Baker discussed the city of Bismarck in particular. He said:

"You perhaps are more interested in why your taxes in the city of Bismarck have increased during the past year, than any other phase of this subject. I have outlined to some extent the causes for general increases in taxes in the past few years. I will now endeavor to point out the cause of the increase in taxes levied on property in the city of Bismarck in the year 1923 as compared with the year 1922. Before touching on the sad side of this question, I will point out a few bright spots in local tax levies as compared with tax levies generally in the state.

"The total taxes levied on all taxable property in the state in 1922 amounted to $46.72 per capita, and in the city of Bismarck $37.43 per capita. The total amount of school taxes levied in the state in 1922 amounted to $21.29 per capita, and in the city of Bismarck $16.02 per capita.

Two Reasons

"There were two general causes of increase in tax levies in Bismarck in the year 1923. (1) The changes in the assessment and taxation laws made by the 1923 legislative assembly caused a large amount of property which has heretofore been exempt, or partially exempt, to be placed on the tax list, and this property became subject to state and county taxes. (2) There was a large increase in local tax levies in the year 1923 as compared with the year 1922.

The county tax levy, including the county tuition tax, increased approximately 20 per cent. City taxes increased 31.7 per cent and school taxes 16 per cent.

The increase in dollars for various purposes was

State	$ 1,560.22
County	23,325.63
School	19,049.00
City	29,351.00
Total	$73,285.95

The principal cause of the increase in city taxes in Bismarck was on account of sinking and interest fund levies in connection with water work bonds. I understand that the city commission expects the water plant to carry this item of expense in future years. The increase in school taxes is equally distributed between the general school levy and sinking and interest fund levy. The increase in the county tax levy, and to a smalled valuation in the country and a larger valuation in the city of Bismarck.

Per Capita Tax

"The per capita total taxes in Bismarck increased from $37.43 in 1922 to $46.32 in 1923, and the per capita school taxes from $16.02 to $18.20.

The tax burden in Bismarck this year is high. The burden is largely local, however, as only 6.6 cents out of each dollars goes to the state. Approximately 19.4 cents out of each dollar goes to the county, 34.7 cents to the city, and 39.3 to city schools."

General Increase

The chief causes for the increase in taxes in the last few years is increased cost of labor, commodities and capital required in the government together with increased functions and activities of state and local governments, Mr. Baker declared.

"A comparison of tax levies in the last decade as compared with the previous decade is rather startling," Mr. Baker said. "The total general property taxes levied for all purposes in North Dakota in the decade of 1903 to 1912 inclusive, amounted to $78,574,253. The total taxes levied in the last decade, 1913 to 1922 inclusive, amounted, to $214,857,562. The increase over the previous decade was $136,283,309. The percentage increase was 173.43 percent.

"The per capita tax for all purposes in 1902 amounted to $11.81 and in 1922 the per capita tax for all purposes amounted to $46.72. The percentage increase per capita in the twenty year period is 313 percent.

"From the year 1914 to 1922, commodity costs increased faster than the cost of government up to the [illegible] modity costs have lagged behind increases in the cost of government. The present cost of government as compared with 1914 is greatly in excess of the increased cost of living and commodity costs. Consequently, our excessive tax burden cannot be

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A CROSS-CUT INTO POLITICS

Senator Magnus Johnsn (right), and his contemporary, Senator Lynn J. Frazier, apparently are having a ripping time at this wood-sawing contest staged recently at Wasuington.

CROSBY MAN TO LEAD JOHNSON FIGHT IN N. D.

Two Burleigh County Men Are Named on Executive Committee for Campaign

GOES INTO PRIMARY

Fargo, Jan 11 (By the A. P.)—O. M. Hector of Crosby, former vice president of the North Dakota State Farm Bureau Federation, has been appointed as state campaign manager for Senator Hiram Johnson in North Dakota, Frank B. Hitchcock, national manager, announced today. Members of the executive committee as announced by Mr Hitchcock are: Usher L. Burdick, Williston, former lieutenant-governor, chairman; William Langer, Bismarck, former state attorney general; J. W. Hempel, Denhoff, state representative; Cyrus B King, Menoken, former state senator; Judge Lehigh Monson, former post commander of the Fargo American Legion, and Mrs. Frank Elliott of Hillsboro.

The selection of the campaign director and executive committee which will have charge of the California Senator's presidential aspirations in North Dakota came after a score or more of conferences with Johnson supporters of this state and Mr Hitchcock.

Pans will be made immediately, said Mr. Hitchcock, for the coming visit of Johnson to North Dakota. It is expected, he said, that Mr Johnson will give several addresses in Fargo and other cities throughout the state. Mr. Hitchcock will leave for Chicago this afternoon.

RECEIVERS ARE NAMED

Three District Officers Are Named by General Receiver

Ten employes, several of whom have brought their families to Bismarck, now comprise the busy office of L. R. Baird, general receiver of closed banks in the state, and the Bismarck district office of E. S. Delaney. Offices of the receivers are in the Bank of North Dakota building.

A number of collectors are on the road, working out of the district office here, and scores of people have come to the city to do business at the receiver's office.

Mr Baird is expanding activities as rapidly as he can consistent with efficiency. Today appointment of J. P. Reeve of Beach to be district receiver with headquarters at Burlington, appointment of C. W. Conroy of Sarles as district receiver probably with headquarters at Devils Lake and A. E. Jones of Lisbon with headquarters in that city was announced. Other district receivers are Mr Delaney and G. R. Van Sickle of Minot.

STATE HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE TEAMS PAIRED

Grand Forks, N D, Jan 11—Pairings in the first round of the annual state high school debate league were announced Wednesday night as follows: Cavalier, St Thomas; Park River, Larimore; Perth, Cando, Souris, Bottineau; Turtle Lake, Ryder; Crosby, Flaxton; Haynes, Bowman; Wyndmere, Milnor; Casselton, Enderlin; Tower City, Mayville; New [illegible] Valley City; Sanborn, Jamestown; Bismarck, Steele; Beach, Dickinson; Mohall, Leeds.

Rugby, Mandan and Lidgerwood drew byes. Williston and Woodworth have not yet been assigned.

These debates must be completed by Jan 26.

GRAND FORKS COUNTY MAN BOOMED BY LEAGUERS FOR GOVERNORSHIP

VENIZELOS TO HEAD CABINET

Athens, Jan. 11 Former Premier Zenizelos today decided to form a cabinet in which he will be premier with George Roussos, Republican liberal leader, as foreign minister as the only possible solution of the protracted governmental crisis.

HEAD OF KLAN BANISHES TWO OF OPPONENTS?

Atlanta Newspaper Says There Are Well Confirmed Reports to This Effect

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 11.—The Atlanta Journal today is publishing what it terms as "a generally credited report" that William Joseph Simmons, imperial emperor and founder of the Ku Klux Klan and Edward Young Clarke, imperial giant, had been "expelled from the Klan" for their opposition to the regime headed by Dr. Hiram W. Evans, imperial wizard."

High Klan officials could not be reached at the Imerial Palace but according to the Journal confirmation of the report that Col. Simmons and Mr. Clarke have been ousted came from persons closely identified with Mr. Evans.

The banishment, according to the newspaper, was a sequel to the fight waged against Dr. Evans and his regime by Simmons and Clarke, reaching a climax recently when Clarke directed a letter to President Coolidge asking that steps be taken to reform a "certain element" in the organization or else that it be disbanded. Another cause for the banishment, it was said, was the call for a Congress of high Klan officials called by Clarke to meet here on Feb. 26 to discuss the future of the organization

JURY FAVORS DEFENDANT

Soo Line Favored in Verdict in District Court

A jury in district court today returned a verdict for the defendant in the case of H. E Trihub, Max butcher, against the Soo lines, for $15,000 damages as a result of an accident at Max more than a year ago in which he claimed a sleigh in which he was riding was struck by a train.

The Soo line's defense was a contention that mules hitched to the sleigh of Trihub ran away, that the engineer of the train stopped it, seeing the mules approaching, and that the sleigh was thrown against the engine and turned over.

STREETER TO MAKE SPEECH AT WASHBURN

Washburn, N. D, Jan 11—Frank Streeter of Linton, State Commander of the American Legion, is showing such an interest in Legion affairs that he is receiving calls on every hand to address gatherings of ex-service men.

Monday evening on January 14, at Washburn he will address the ex-service men of McLean County under [illegible] Post of that city

Commander McCulloch of the Victor B Wallin Post says that Streeter is bound to revive interest in Legion affairs because he is vitally interested in the ex-service men and their problems and he is determined that everyone shall receive fair play.

A. G. Sorlie Is Willing to Accept Nomination — Other Political Gossip Filtering in From Throughout the State

A. G. Sorlie's boom for Nonpartisan League endorsement as a candidate for governor was launched in a resolution passed at the precinct meeting held by leaguers in Grand Forks. The resolution instructed the delegates elected to the county convention to be held there January 23 to at once begin working for Mr Sorlie and to use their influence at the county convention to put Mr Sorlie over.

Another resolution endorsed H H Aaker as candidate for congressman in the First congressional district.

"I am not a candidate for governor and have not been but if the Progressive Democrats, Progressive Republicans and Nonpartisan Leaguers can get together and if I am drafted as a candidate and nominated at the state convention, I will accept the offer I will not scramble for office," Mr Sorlie said in his initial talk after his name was proposed

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Possibility that Senator Frazier of North Dakota, and Senators Magnus Johnson and Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota, may join Senator Ladd in the endorsement of President Coolidge has caused wide speculation in eastern newspapers. The Coolidge manager in Minnesota is Charles March, who was a contributor to the Magnus Johnson campaign fund in that state.

The selection of L. B Hanna to manage the Coolidge campaign in this state is expected to find favor from many quarters. It is known that some of the leading Nonpartisans who were seeking to build up a "harmony program" through the Republican state committee had suggested that the league members of that committee support Mr Hanna for National Committeeman over Gunder Olson, incumbent.

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W. J. Church, chairman of the Nonpartisan state committee, has taken issue with the views expressed by the Farmer-Labor State Record, Nonpartisan paper published in Bismarck, and the Fargo Forum of the recent meeting of the Republican state committee here, which commended the candidacy of President Coolidge. Mr Church endorsed the view he said was taken of letting all political factions he represented at the national convention He wrote in part:

"I have read your editorial on the action of the Republican State Central committee in selecting delegates to the national convention, and also the Fargo Forum's comment on the same.

"It is evident to me that you both misunderstand the committee's action and that you view its acts from the standpoint of what you would have done under the same condition, having complete control of the meeting as the progressive (League) wing of the party had.

"Now, I believe that the committee was actuated by a desire to let all the people of the state be represented at the national convention; therefore they picked men from all factions although keeping the majority in the hands of the progressives, as the state unquestionably is progressive.

"No one questions for a moment that Robert M LaFollette would carry this state by a large majority if he runs on the presidential primary ballot in March Past experience has shown us, however, that the voters have not always had their wishes carried out, and the committee therefore tried to choose men and women whom it felt certain would carry out the mandates of the people of the state as expressed at the polls for their candidate for [illegible] —As I see it, the seven men and women representing the progressive (N P L) faction will stand by the choice of the people, whatever that may be, as long as there is any chance of electing that candidate. At heart they are for a progressive

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HOUSE WON'T BAN SALE OF ARMS BY U. S.

Refuses to Adopt Fairchild Resolution Against Sale of Munitions to Mexico

BONUS IS SIDETRACKED

Republicans Decide to Complete Work on Mellon Tax Measure First

Washington, Jan. 11.—The house foreign affairs committee today indefinately postponed action on the Fairchild resolution proposing to prohibit sales of war materials by the United States to foreign governments.

SMITH SPEAKS

Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator Smith of South Carolina, the newly elected Democratic chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee today, declared in a statement that all interested should combine to provide relief from the burden of excessive freight rates and that this applied with especial emphasis "to the intolerable burden opposed upon present rates upon agriculture."

TAX BILL BEFORE BONUS

Washington, Jan. 11.—General discussion of the interior Department appropriation bill continued in the house today while its foreign affairs committee resumed consideration behind closed doors of the resolution introduced by Representative Fairchild, Republican, New York, to prohibit the sale of government war materials to other nations. The senate was in recess over the week-end.

The Fairchild resolution, which was introduced during the negotiations with the Mexican government for purchase of surplus munitions from the United States, was taken up by the committee yesterday but no decision was announced.

The only other committee activity today holding market attention was that of the house ways and means committee which continued its study of the administrative provisions of the Mellon tax bill under a mandate from the House Republican conference last night to make a report on this measure before taking up the soldiers' bonus legislation.

M'LEAN FOR CORN SHOW

County Commissioners Urge Action to Get in Exhibits

Washburn, N. D., Jan 11—The Board of County Commissioners has suggested that County Extension Agent A L Norling put in such work as his time permits on encouraging exhibits for the State Corn Show at Bismarck on January 22, 23 and 24

Mr. Norling has appointed the cashier of each bank as a local committeeman to assist in getting samples together for the Bismarck show, the cashier to appoint as many assistants as necessary Call on your local banker for a premium list and full directions

One of the McLean county samples of corn raised by Mrs Fern Johnson was awarded a prize at Chicago in December.

SIOUX FALLS HIT BY FIRE

Sioux Falls, S D., Jan 11.—Fire of unknown origin today completely destroyed the warehouse of the Dempster Milling Company here, dealers in farm machinery. The loss is estimated at $70,000. The stock on hand which was said to be low at this season of the year is fully covered by insurance, it was said The building was insured for $25,000

The Weather

For twenty-four hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at 7 A. M.	12
Highest yesterday	16
Lowest yesterday	—6
Lowest last night	8
Precipitation	T
Highest wind velocity	16

WEATHER FORECAST

For Bismarck and Vicinity: Snow and colder tonight. Saturday generally fair.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The pressure is low over the Great Lakes region and it is high along the Pacific coast. Precipitation occurred in the Great Lakes region, Mississippi Valley, the Dako- [illegible] Northwest. Fair weather prevails over the southern Plains States. Temperatures are lower this morning over the Plains States and Mississippi Valley, but elsewhere changes have been unimportant.

ORRIS W. ROBERTS,
Meteorogolist.

PRODIGY WHO STARTLED HARVARD 'PROFS' FOUND IN GARRET ROOM

William Sidis, Who Read Paper on Fourth Dimension When 11 Years Old, Now Is $23 a Week Statistical Clerk and Wants Job Without "Too Much Thinking"

New York, Jan. 11.—In a West Fourteenth street garret room William Sidis, 26 year old clerk, who as a child startled Harvard professors by his amazing intellectual precocity and who was put forth by his father, the late Dr. Boris Sidis as the symbolization of infant child education, today stands bitterly aloof from his family and from all social intercourse, according to a woman prominent in local radical circles, quoted by the New York World.

Young Sidis, infant prodigy of 1909 when he entered Harvard and read an erudite paper on the fourth dimension before the university mathematical faculty was discovered at work as a $23 a week statistical clerk asking only to be left in the office at work which did not require "too much thinking."

"Sidis," the woman said, "won't make friends with anyone. He was badly treated as a boy and he treated his parents with an almost stupid hate. When he was arrested at 17 and sent away he was beaten unmercifully."

She referred to the young man's arrest and sentence in Boston in connection with a socialistic demonstration on May 1, 1919.

When Sidis talks, said the woman, he gives all the old characteristics of his genius, once heralded when his father was alive and William was under the parental authority. "He has more knowledge and a better memory than any man I ever heard of," she said. "He can quote you page after page from history, any history of any country. He knows every street in New York their length and their breadth."

COMMUNITY TO HAVE THEATER

Bantry, N. D., Jan. 11.—A complete moving picture outfit has arrived here for the new Bantry Community theater to open Friday of this week. The machine is one of the latest models and operates by electricity.

The community theater plan here has been promoted by a number of citizens who wanted to bring the best pictures to the community without excessive costs to the patrons. No profit will be realized from the theater—admissions will be realized from the theater admissions will be twenty-five and fifteen cents, an amount, it is thought, just sufficient to cover overhead operating expenses.

A. C. 'GOLD STAR' BAND WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

Will Play Matinee and Evening Concert in Bismarck on January 24

The North Dakota Agricultural College "Gold Star" band of 45 pieces will play a benfit concert for the Bismarck Juvenile band in this city on January 24, it was announced today. The local chapter of the American Association of Engineers has undertaken to handle the concert.

The band will play a matinee and evening concert in the city auditorium here, following concert at Devils Lake, Minot and Mandan and will visit Jamestown before returning to the A. C. from the trip about the state.

The band has been named the "Gold Star" because the A. C. military units, including the band, last year received this rating from the War Department, being one of 12 schools in the country to achieve the rating out of a total of 250

Dr C S Putnam, who directs the band, developed many noted band musicicans Many fine soloists are with the A C band, including James Stamp trumpet soloist, who in high school days was known as the "boy wonder."

The engineers' club is solidly back of the Juvenile band of Bismarck It believes that in bringing the A C. band to Bismarck it will not only offer high class music and a fine entertainment to Bismarck, but it also will realize a neat fund to aid the Juvenile band.

The A C. band concert, it was announced, has the endorsement of the Juvenile band committee of the Association of Commerce.

JAP PRINCE TO BE MARRIED

Tokio, Jan 11.—The wedding of Prince Regent Hirohito and Princess Nagako, daughter of Prince Kuni, will be solemnized on January 26, it was announced officially today.

COUNTY STILL SEETHES OVER KLAN ACTION

Withdrawal of Troops From Williamson County to Leave Bitter Feeling

PEACE MEETING FAILS

Served Only to Arouse Resentment—Sheriff Orders Dry Officers Out

Herrin, Ill., Jan. 11.—Withdrawal of troops from Williamson county which Sheriff George Galligan announced will be requested today would leave the county still a center of threatening factions with the feeling between Klan and anti-Klan sympathizers intensified by the events of yesterday.

The peace meeting called last night in Marion for the purpose of reaching an understanding between the two parties in Herrin at which all of the victims of the recent liquor raids were present took place last night in which Deputy Sheriff John Lehman advised the owners of bars to dismantle them immediately or suffer arrest, and attacked the drastic measures adopted by S. Glenn Young and his raiders.

"Young and his gunmen must go," was the ultimatum delivered by Sheriff Galligan who last night assumed charge again of the county while Young and the leaders of the Klan are as determined to remain and conduct the affairs of the county.

According to present conditions one side will of necessity give way or a clash is unavoidable, the sheriff pointed out. If Young persists in carrying out his program of strict enforcement of the liquor laws he will be running in opposition to Sheriff Galligan's orders as stated by Deputy Sheriff Lehman.

In an interview Sheriff Galligan declared vigorously that the situation was pointed toward more trouble He repeated his statement that if the troops had not entered the county when they did and if an intended raid had been conducted that night "a thousand people would have been killed."

DACOTAH DEDICATED TO STATE

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 10.—This year's "Dacotah," year book published by the students at the state university will be dedicated to the State of North Dakota, acording to Duane Squires, editor in chief.

EXAMINATION DATES.

Semi-annual examinations of teachers seeking professional certificates will be held from January 15 to 18 in Bismarck, Dickinson, Valley City, Minot and Grand Forks, it is announced by the state education department Examinations for elementary teaching certificates will be held in every county seat of the state February 14 and 15

LITTLE GIRL FINDS PARENTS BY DILIGENT WORK OF RAILROAD MEN

A little tot, three and a half years old, who landed in Bismarck without friends and without knowing just where she was going, reached her destination through the quick and hospitable efforts of railroad employes. But the telepragh wires were kept hot for a time while her name was being learned.

The child was put on a Northern Pacific train at Jamestown by a man at whose home she had been visiting. He sent a telegram to her parents in Mandan but failed to give the trainmen instructions. The little girl scrambled off the train in Bismarck, the destination called for by her ticket, but there was no one there to meet her.

Trainmen turned her over to the N. P. ticket office force here. She couldn't talk plainly and couldn't tell them her name She did say she'd been visiting "Uncle Ed" and Aunt Grace," Bismarck employes notified Jamestown. There a hunt for "Uncle Ed" was begun. He could not be located through the directories. Finally, one man thought of an "Ed" in a Jamestown office and on calling found that he was the uncle. The name of the girl's parents were learned and transmitted to Bismarck. She was, local N P. employes said, Dolores Matsen, living in Mandan. A taxicab was called and she was delivered safe and sound to her father's home across the river.

BILL ASHLEY HELD, BROTHER NEAR CAPTURE

Authorities Close in on Leaders of Gang in the Florida Everglades

BANDITS WERE ARMED

Pitched Battle Was Expected By Authorities as They Closed in on Men

West Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 11—Bill Ashley, one of the leaders of the Ashley band of outlaws, was captured in the Florida Everglades near Gomez station early today, according to reports received by the sheriff's office. The apprehension of his brother, John, was expected to follow as they were known to have been together.

Only meager details of the capture were reported here and it is not yet known whether Ashley voluntarily surrendered or was taken after engaging in battle with the officers. Sheriff Bob Baker and his deputies began closing in on John and Bill early this morning and the two desperadoes, heavily armed, were believed ready to make their last stand.

YOUTH RECAPTURED

West Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 11.—Albert Miller, 20 year old bad man who, officers, declared, fired the shot that killed Deputy Sheriff Fred Baker Tuesday at the camp of the notorious Ashley gang in the Florida woods country, 25 miles north of here, was captured by deputies late yesterday and lodged in jail here.

Four alleged associates and intimates of the gang also were taken into custody by officers and placed in jail. They are George Mariot and wife, and P. N. Jenkins, partner of Albert Miller, and his wife. Mrs. Mariot is a daughter of the elder Ashley, slain Tuesday. Mrs. Jenkins also formerly was an Ashley.

Miller Badly Injured

Miller was taken without a struggle. He suffered two severe wounds in the battle at the camp. His left arm dangled loosely from a compound fracture above the elbow where a bullet smashed through. Another bullet ploughed through his right hip, shattering bones and tearing muscles. Despite these wounds, the outlaw had covered 12 miles through a jungle of undergrowth.

Hanford Mobley, who with John Ashley, is held to be the leading spirit of the Ashley gang, is declared by Sheriff Baker to have gone to the Bahama Islands on a trip alleged to be connected with liquor running. It was expected he would attempt to land and preparations were made for his capture.

A total of 14 persons, including two small Mobley children, alleged to be intimates and shielders of members of the Ashley gang, are now confined in jail here.

FORKS TALKS LIGHT PLANT

Proposition of One For Municipal Lighting Before Body

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 11.—The city commission of Grand Forks is considering the installation of its own electric light and power plant for municipal purposes. The merits of the Diesel type of oil engines were explained to members of the city commission in their meeting Wednesday. Representatives of the Nordberg Manufacturing Company and the Fairbanks-Morse company were before the commission. They also submitted reports on the probable cost of purchasing and installing the apparatus.

E. H. Lindstrom, chief engineer at the state flour mill and elevator, also talked to the commission outlining the possibility of connecting the proposed local plant with that at the mill in order that the electrical energy generated at both plants might be fully utilized in the event of the city's establishment of an electrical plant.

PREPARING FOR SUMMER

Wilton, N D., Jan 11.—John Hammack and Jake Burke are putting up ice this week at the Painted Woods Lake resort, now owned by Thomas Jones, who purchased the place from Jos. Tauer of Washburn.

Mr. Jones has sold his property just south of the Chapin hotel, to Joe DeRose, but does not intend to move to the lake resort until spring. Mr Jones intends making a number of improvements at Painted Woods as it is one of the popular recreation centers in this part of the state.

WILL ORGANIZE BAND

Wilton, N. D., Jan. 11.—Supt. C. L. Codding of the Wilton schools announces his intention of organizing a juvenile band in this community. The purpose is to train the youngsters in band work and give them musical instruction with the hope of making the organization permanent.

OPTIMISTIC OVER MEXICO

Dr. MacLachlan, Returned From Four Months Trip, Sees Good Future

[illegible] Dr. [illegible] to Bismarck [illegible] spent in the [illegible] optimistic [illegible] found [illegible]

[illegible] Dr. MacLachlan [illegible] Mexico [illegible] foreign [illegible] National University [illegible] Doctor of Medicine [illegible] practice [illegible] part of Mexico [illegible] examination [illegible] the highest mark [illegible]

BIG LAWSUITS INSTITUTED

[illegible] lawsuits totaling $204,000 [illegible] district court [illegible] against the [illegible] companies of [illegible] the State Bond [illegible] for Guaranty [illegible] Attorney [illegible] Murphy & [illegible] his special [illegible] against the Grand [illegible] judgment [illegible] $82,000 [illegible] $12,000 [illegible] the Guaranty Fund [illegible]

[illegible] county funds that [illegible] Renville [illegible] closed by [illegible] A. J. Berg of that county.

RIGS UP RADIO AT HOSPITAL

[illegible] radio [illegible] unfortunately has [illegible] much over the radio because of interference of [illegible] at the hospital.

Murder Hearing Is Continued

Grand Forks, Jan. 10.—The preliminary hearing of M. F. Mattison and S. A. Jordahl, charged with first degree manslaughter in connection with the death of Mabel Arder[illegible] was continued until Jan. 16.

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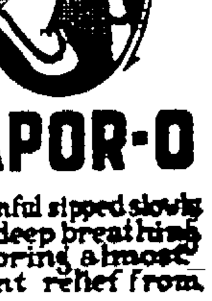

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AT YOUR DRUGGIST

LAST RITES FOR MRS. SWINDLING ARE HELD TODAY

[illegible] Mrs. Frank Swindling, 40 years old, who [illegible] South Seventh [illegible] pleurisy [illegible] were held [illegible] 2:30 o'clock in Webb [illegible]

[illegible] Swindling [illegible] came [illegible]

CITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. George B[illegible] are the parents of a baby [illegible] arrived at the St. Alexius [illegible]

Operate On

Mrs. Harry Berres[illegible] operated upon this morning at the Bismarck hospital.

Improved

[illegible] K. Thompson is much improved but is still confined to [illegible] at her home on Avenue D.

Is Recovering

Mr. Henry Arder [illegible] recover [illegible]

Daughter Arrives

Virginia Margaret is the name of the new daughter who arrived yesterday for Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fe[illegible] at the St. Alexius hospital.

Under Arrest

[illegible] Coon and Ernest Turner of McKenzie were arrested on warrants sworn out by game warden [illegible] charged with [illegible] trapping [illegible] committed to jail [illegible] by Justice of the Peace Anton Bee[illegible]

Bismarck Hospital

The following have been admitted to the Bismarck hospital: Mrs. J. Albrecht, Temvik; Henry [illegible] Jackson; Fred W. [illegible] Wimbledon; Mr. K. R. McKen[illegible] Mead, Mitchell, Melnic[illegible] Discharged: Belle and Bobby Hargrave Driscoll, Ruth Bakken, Almont; John Dockter, city; Mrs. Knute Sendral, Turtle Lake.

St. Alexius Hospital

Admitted to the St. Alexius hospital: Mrs. Peter Schmidt, Hazelton; H. B. Berst, Van Hook; Arthur Pease, Van Hook; Mrs. Louie Aug[illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Henry [illegible] city; [illegible] W. [illegible] Glen Ullen. Discharged: Mrs. Paul Hegdahl and baby boy, city; Miss Ruth Irvine, Linton; J. W. [illegible] Beulah; Miss [illegible] Frank Domes, Garrison; Mrs. [illegible] Mary [illegible]

PLEDGE LABOR THEIR SUPPORT

Washington, Jan. 10.—Renewed support to organized labor in its political economic [illegible] was pledged by representatives of farmer organizations in many sections of the country at the closing meeting of a several days session here.

Resolutions adopted urged prompt repeal of the Esch-Cummins act and freight rate reductions on farm products and the immediate enactment by Congress of the Norris-Sinclair bill.

Many Women Use Glycerine Mixture

Women appreciate the quick action of simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and removes all gases and poisons. Excellent for chronic constipation and to guard against appendicitis. Helps any case gas on stomach in TEN minute. Jo. Breslow, Druggist.

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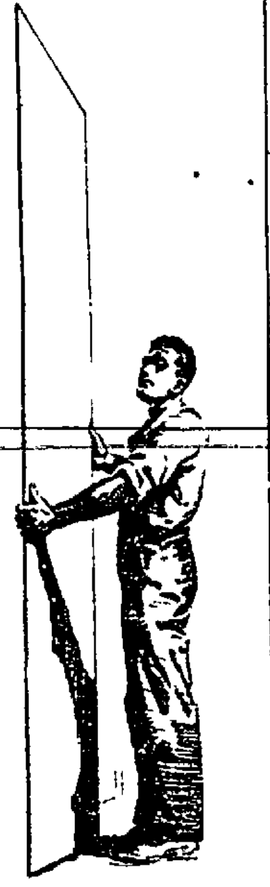
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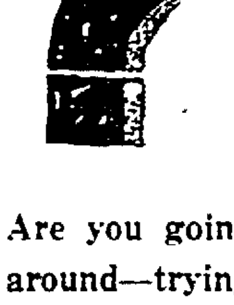
How About It

Are you going to keep on wandering around—trying to "match" yourself to a suit, overcoat, or a shirt or tie ? ? ? ?

—YOUR WANDERING WILL CEASE—
If You Will Stop At

Klein TOGGERY

WILL HEAR SOVIET PLEAS

Washington, Jan. 10.—A sub-committee of the senate foreign relations committee will, under a resolution adopted by that committee today, hold public hearings on the proposal of Senator Borah urging recognition of the Russian Soviet government, it was announced.

DISABLED VET SLAYS PATIENT

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 10.—Michael Taylor, 28, former army captain and Richmond, Va., attorney, was fatally wounded at Highland hospital here last night by Robert Moore, 27, another patient. Both men were being treated for mental troubles.

The slaying was done with an ax. Both were overseas veterans and authorities said neither had showed vicious tendencies.

$3 Manhattan Shirts $2.35. Bergeson's.

JAP KILLS WIFE, TWO CHILDREN; HANGS HIMSELF

Sacramento, Calif., Jan. 10.—Kawashima, 28, Japanese recently from Nevada, fatally stabbed his wife and two children as they lay abed this morning then hanged himself by jumping from a porch with a rope around his neck.

BRITISH SUBMARINE REPORTED LOST

London, Jan. 11.—Admiralty message says a British submarine, L24, lost off Portland in collision. [illegible] crew of 30 feared.

COMPLETE STATIONS

The Northern Pacific railway has completed new passenger stations at Bozeman and Miles City, Mont., at an aggregate cost of approximately $150,000.

Both buildings are of brick and are modernly appointed for the convenience and comfort of travelers.

Warm Coats
Warm Shirts

MEN'S SHEEP OR LAMB LINED COATS
$35 Coats Now . . . $25
$30 Coats Now $22.50

BOYS' SHEEP LINED COATS
$9 Coats Now $6.50
$10 Coats Now $7.50

FLANNEL SHIRTS
Men's and Boys'
$2.50 Shirts or Blouses . $1.95
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Everyone who wants to improve his place or save money around his farm, needs the new Portland Cement Association booklet "Concrete Around the Home."

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WE MUST RAISE MONEY TO PAY BILLS

The warm season has left us with a lot of merchandise on hand. The only way we can pay our bills past due is to raise money at once and the only way we know is to give the most wonderful bargains, forget costs, cut prices, remember only that money must be raised.

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Patents for Dancing and street wear. $7.50 values. Cut to............ $2.95

Ladies' Strap Pumps
Black Suede. $8.00 sellers. Cut to.............. $4.95

French Models
Ladies' fine shoes, Log Cabin color $8.50 seller $4.95

Ladies' Oxfords
Brown and Russian Calf. Rice & Hutcheson Educator. $6.50 seller. Cut to .. $3.95

Ladies' Patent Shoes
Tear Drop — Low — Strap — color black. Value $7.50. Cut to................ $4.95

Growing Girls' Shoes
One lot, all colors, straps and oxfords. Values $6.00 and $6.50. Cut to................ $3.95

Children's Shoes
Educator quality—one lot sizes to 15½. Values up to $5.00.
$2.95 and $3.95

Kindergarten Shoes
Children's Wear Well Shoes. Sizes 5 to 11. Values to $5.00. Cut to................. $2.49

Men's Shoes
For Dress or Street, Russian Calf. Values to $8.50. Cut to................. $4.95

Men's Patent Shoes
Values to $8.50. Cut to................. $4.95

Fine Men's and Policemen's
Shoes, extra heavy sole, black and brown colors. $7.50 sellers. Cut to......... $4.95

Boys' Overshoes
One buckle U. S. make. Value $2.50. Cut to.... $1.89
Two buckle U. S. make. Regular value $3.00. Cut to...... $2.10

Ladies' Rubbers
U. S. make Hubmark. Values $1.25 and $1.50. Cut to..................... 89c
Ladies' 4 buckle. Values $4.50 and $5.00. Cut to.. $3.19
Misses' 4 buckle. Value $4.00. Cut to.......... $2.95

MEN'S WEAR

Men's Caps
Fur ear laps. $2.50 and $3.00 values. Cut to.... $1.69

Men's Hose
Fine Dress Hose. 2 pair 25c
Men's Lisle Hose. Per pair.................. 29c
Men's Rockford Socks. 2 pair.................. 25c
Men's Cashmere Socks. Pair 39c
Men's Leather Mitts. $2.00 value............ $1.25
Men's and Women's Knitted Gloves. $1.00 sellers . 49c
Jersey Gloves. Pair 18c
Men's Cotton Gloves. Values 25c............ 18c
Men's Leather Work Mitts, heavy lined. Value $2.00. .. 98c
Men's Genuine Horse Hide Gauntlets, one finger.
$1.98 and $1.25
Goat Hair liners. Pair 89c

Finest Army Shirts
$3.50 and $4.00 sellers. Cut to
$2.79 and $2.95

Bath Robe Blankets
Beautiful colors. Cut to........ $4.95

Rubber Overshoes
At a tremendous reduction. Men, you never saw values.
Army shirts. Values $2.75. To close out ... $1.98
Army shirts in Grey and Brown. Value $3.50. To clean up $1.95
Another Lot–Army shirts, officers genuine O. D. regulation $4.50 sellers. Cut to.......... $3.49

Coats
For garage work and heavy duty, heavy and warm. $4.50 value. $1.95

Men's Sweater Jerseys
Regular value $2.50 and $3.00 .... $1.98

Men's Overshoes
4 buckle. Value $5.50. Cut to.. ... $3.49
Men's Overshoes, one buckle. Value $3.00. Cut to.. ...... $1.98
Men's 4 buckle rubbers, genuine army overshoes. Values $4.50 and $5.00. To close.... $1.98

Army Blankets
Special at $2.69

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DICKINSON IS VICTOR OVER B. H. S. 'DEMONS'

Take Close Contest in Game in Which Locals Outclass Them Most of Time

(Special to the Tribune)

Dickinson, N. D., Jan. 11—Dickinson high school's basketball team defeated Bismarck high here last night in a return game, 21 to 19. The contest was close throughout and very fast. The first half ended 14 to 12 in favor of Dickinson.

Bismarck fans are not in the habit of making alibis for defeat, but those who saw the game declared it was mighty tough for the Bismarck boys to lose. They outclassed the Dickinson five in every department of the game except basket shooting—a defect that exists largely through the fact that Bismarck has a green team.

The "Demons" started with Scroggins and Olson at forwards, Alfson at center and Noddings and Shepard at guards. Bismarck scored first and ran the score up to 9 to 5. Then the visitors started to slip and miss basket shot and Dickinson dropped in four long ones. At the end of the half the home team was leading 14 to 12.

Alfson was replaced at the beginning of the second half by Livdahl for a few minutes. Dickinson ran the score up to 19 to 12 in the second half. Bismarck rallied but could not connect with the winning tally. Alfson went back in Olson's place, because the Bismarck team was getting the ball down to the basket frequently and it looked as if Bismarck would win, but the visitors missed so many shots at the basket that they couldn't do it. Bismarck's passing and guarding showed great improvement, the Dickinson players being forced to take many long shots for baskets.

There was some hope for the Bismarck fans, however. The "Demons" displayed more class at times than they have at any time, and there is hope that by the time the district tournament rolls around the Bismarck team will be at top form.

Dickinson started the game with Brown and Rabe at forwards, Smith at Center and Robinson and Hoerauf at guards.

TOMMY GETS NEW CHANCE

Will Meet Jack Dempsey in New York Early in June

New York, Jan. 11.—Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, and Tommy Gibbons of St. Paul, will fight a return title match in New York, probably early in June, Promoter Tex Rickard announced after a conference with Eddie Kane, Gibbons' manager.

Rickard came to a definite agreement with Kane after an hour's conference at Madison Square Garden.

Gibbons After Fight

Jack Kearns, manager of the champion, has not yet signed articles with Rickard, but several days ago he assured the promoter there would be no hitch in arrangements if Gibbons was signed.

Gibbons has been seeking a return fight with Dempsey ever since he stayed the limit of 15 rounds with the champion in their battle in the Montana boom town of Shelby last July 4. Dempsey was awarded the verdict on points but it was the first time since he became titleholder that any one had stayed the full route with him.

MANDAN LOSES AT VALLEY CITY

Valley City, N. D., Jan. 11.—Valley City high school defeated Mandan here last night, 20 to 11 in a close hard fought game. With the exception of the first ten minutes of the game, Valley City had a safe lead throughout. Burdick and Bill Arthur were the best performers for Mandan and Lee and Burchill starred for Valley City. Valley City counted on 10 field goals while Mandan scored three baskets and five free throws.

SEEK BOUTS

Orris W. Roberts of the Weather Bureau is in receipt of a letter from "Billy" Sherrard, formerly of Bismarck, but now in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. In his letter Mr. Sherrard issues a challenge to any 135 pound boxer to take on his protege, Phil Kirkham. Kirkham recently fought a ten-round draw with Johnny Tillman of Minneapolis. Mr. Roberts forwarded his letter to Jack Hurley of Fargo, manager of Russie LeRoy, North Dakota's premier 135 pounder.

MOIRE AND LACE

White moire combined with silver lace is an unbeatable combination for dance and dinner frocks.

Paid Fancy Prices

"I paid an international authority on diseases of the stomach $1,500 and he didn't do me five cents' worth of good. I have been to various Spas in Europe, as well as this country and have spent fully $30,000 fruitlessly in search of a cure for my stomach trouble. Naturally I lost faith in any remedy for my case. My wife's brother had taken Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and praised it so highly that I tried it and am now entirely rid of that trouble." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale at all druggists.
Adv.

THRILLER AT AUDITORIUM TONIGHT

ELSIE HETZ, ANTOINETTE ROCHTE, BERTHA LOWE IN "THE CAT AND THE CANARY."

"The Cat and the Canary," a drama in three acts, by John Willard, will be presented by Kilbourne Gordon, Inc., at the auditorium, tonight.

This play has been described as the most exciting ever written, and although it has many thrills the appeal of the piece, as an entertainment, would seem to lie in the fact that it has, in addition to the thrill which every human loves, and abundance of good, natural, appealing comedy. "The Cat and the Canary" went into New York a stranger and was immediately welcomed as one of the great hits of the generation. It remained in the glare of the white lights for more than a year then journeyed to Philadelphia. After tarrying there a bit, it returned to establish a new record by making a second hit on Broadway. The second engagement of "The Cat and the Canary" for local playgoers is a composite of the best interpreters in all the companies of last season. In the cast are many well known players and others younger, whom it will be a delight to know. To miss "The Cat and the Canary" will be to miss one of the season's best attractions.

MARKET NEWS

WHEAT HOLDS STEADY AGAIN

Liverpool Quotations Gain Rapidly on Chicago

Chicago, Jan. 11.—With foreign prices for grain continuing to advance and making values in the United States closer to a world parity wheat bulls here had an advantage at the opening of today's market. It was pointed out that Liverpool quotations had gained rapidly on Chicago since the beginning of the year and were again up sharply this morning. Opening strength in the corn market tended also to give firmness to wheat. After starting one-eighth to three eighths higher, May, $1 09 1-8 to $1 09 1-4 and July, $1 07 3-8 to $1 07 1-2, wheat reacted a trifle but held to the initial range.

Subsequently profit taking sales were a feature. The close was steady at the same as yesterday's finish to one-eighth cents higher, May $1 08 7-8 to $1 08 7-8 to $1 09 and July, $1 07 3-8.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

Minneapolis, Jan. 11.—Flour unchanged. Shipments, 52,915 barrels. Bran, $25 50 to $26.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Hog receipts 47,000. Very active, 15 to 25 cents higher. Top, $7 40.

Cattle receipts, 5,000. Beef steers active. Shipping demand broad. Most beef steers 15 to 25 cents higher. Top matured steers and yearlings, $11 25.

Sheep receipts, 9,000. Fairly active. Fat lambs strong to around 15 cents higher.

ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

So. St. Paul, Jan. 11.—Cattle receipts 1,100. Slow, generally steady. Killing quality plain. Common and medium grade steers and yearlings early 6 00 to 9 00. Bulk 8 00 and down. Butcher cows and heifers 3 50 to 7 00. Bulk 6 00 and under. Canners strong and active, 2.25 to 2.50. Cutters up to 3 25. Bologna bulls fully steady, 4 00 to 4 75. Bulk heavies upward of 5 00. Stockers and feeders slow, about steady. Bulk early sales 4 50 to 6 00. Calves receipts 1,400. Unevenly 25 cents or more lower considering quality. Best lights to packers 9 50 to 9 75.

Hog receipts 16,500. Around 25 cents higher. Good and choice 180 to around 250 pound butchers 6 85 to 6.90. One hundred and fifty to 180 pound averages mostly 6 75. Bulk packing sows 6 00 to 6 25. Bulk feeding pigs 6 00. Strong weights to killers 6.25.

Sheep receipts 1,000. No early sales. Bidding steady on a few native lambs.

BISMARCK GRAIN

(Furnished by Russell-Miller Co)

No 1 dark northern	1 07
No 1 northern spring	1 03
No. 1 amber durum	.81
No 1 mixed durum	.78
No. 1 red durum	.74
No 1 flax	2 18
No 2 flax	2 13
No 1 rye	.51

We quote but do not handle the following:

Oats	.32
Barley	.43
Speltz	.55

New Shell Corn

	Yellow	White & Mixed
No 3, 56lb test	$ .51	$ .50
No. 4, 55lb test	.50	.49

1 cent per pound discount under 55 lb.

Ear Corn (72lb in Minnesota) 5 cents under shell.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN

Minneapolis, Jan. 11.—Wheat re[illegible] cars a year ago. Cash No 1 northern, $1 13 1-8 to $1 17 1-8. No 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy $1 21 1-8 to $1 26 1-8 good to choice $1 17 1-8 to $1 20 1-8 ordinary to good, $1.11 1-8 to $1 17 1-8. May, $1 13 1-8, July, $1 1[illegible] September, $1 12 [illegible], corn No [illegible] yellow, 68 [illegible] to 69 cents; oats No 3 white, 41 5-8 to 42 1-8 cents. Barley 51 to 64 cents, rye No 2, [illegible] to 66 3-4 cents, flax No 1, $2 44 1-2 to $2 48 1-2.

WHEAT DOCKING IS TAKEN UP

John N. Hagan Is Witness Before State Agricultural Committee

Washington, Jan. 11.—Features of the "dockage" system of grain grading were attacked before the [illegible] agricultural committee today by western witnesses [illegible] the Norris-Sinclair bill which proposes creation of a $100,000,000 corporation to [illegible].

John N. Hagan [illegible] of grain [illegible] measures [illegible] North Dakota [illegible] the wheat farmer did not get an equitable deal under the present grading laws. Wheat is invariably graded down [illegible] the grounds of presence of foreign matter. He testified that one North Dakota [illegible] $18,000 [illegible] of foreign [illegible] screened [illegible].

[illegible]

SEEKS PUBLIC AID

[illegible] Mackenzie [illegible] were arrested [illegible].

SENATOR WILLIS of Ohio

Senator Willis, of Ohio who made a stirring speech before the recent meeting of the [illegible] national committee, in Washington.

CONVICTS IN REBELLION

Montevallo, Ala., Jan. 11.—One hundred and fifty state convicts are reported in rebellion at the Thomas-Weller Mining Company's coal mines near here.

Reports reaching here are to the effect that the convicts yesterday caused considerable damage to machinery and track by the use of dynamite. It was said that the company had admitted that damage had been caused by the convicts. State employes would not discuss the alleged mutiny which was reported.

BANK ROBBED OF $44,500

Kansas City, Jan. 11.—Several negroes held up a teller of the Main street bank at the door of the bank shortly before noon today and escaped with $44,500.

GOPHER GAME VIOLATOR SHOT

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 11.—D. C. Williams of Hill City, Minnesota, Aitkin county coroner and deputy game warden shot and instantly killed Peter Pelissi when the latter resisted arrest on a charge of violating the state game laws, according to a dispatch to the Duluth Herald. The shooting occurred Wednesday and yesterday a coroner's jury held Dr. Williams blameless for the shooting, the dispatch stated.

LIZARD-SKIN SHOES

Lizard-skin shoes in light color are very popular for southern wear. They are durable, not easily soiled and are very easy to clean.

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HILL LINES WANT TO KEEP IN OWN GROUP

Want Railroad Consolidation Plans Effected Without Changing Relations

Washington, Jan. 11.—Western aspects of general railroad consolidation proposals came up for interstate commerce commission consideration when the divergence between commission proposals and views of managements of the Hill group of railroads as to disposition to be made of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads was elaborated by counsel in oral arguments. H. A. Scandrett speaking for the Union Pacific, however expressed qualified satisfaction with the consolidation suggestions affecting that system.

Urges Retention

Price Scott, counsel for the Burlington, urged the retention of the three northwestern railroads now associated in stock ownership as one unit, with even greater fusing of interests. The Northern Pacific and Great Northern should be considered one system with it, he asserted, asserting that by allowing the Colorado & Southern, a Burlington subsidiary, a giant system could be built up reaching from the Pacific to Chicago and from the Canadian border to the gulf of Mexico.

For the Northern Pacific and Great Northern, the division from the Burlington was sharply opposed. Both Walker D. Hines, former director general of railroads, and C. W. Bunn, general counsel of the Great Northern in turn urged however that if separation could not be avoided the road they represented should be allowed to keep the Burlington.

Too Late To Classify

WANTED—Kitchen girl at Homan's Cafe. 1-11-1w

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, [illegible] 4th St. Phone 627R. 1-11-3t

LOST—Near postoffice, pocketbook containing $10 in currency and some silver money. Finder return to Albert Schneider, 421 12th St., for reward. 1-11-1t

FOR RENT—Large, well furnished Southeast room in modern house, 11 Ave. B West. Phone 429. 1-11-3t

FOR SALE—Ford coupe good as new, cheap if taken at once for cash. R. B. Loubeck Motor Co. 1-11-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. F. A. Doll, 309 10th St. 1-11-2t

WORK WANTED—Girl wants position to do housework for family. Write Miss Edith Levin, Kintyre, N. D. 1-11-1t

FOR SALE—Duofold in good condition. Price $25.00. Call 273 between 5 and 7 P. M. 1-11-3t.

Notice is hereby given that that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Cora O. Hagen, formerly Cora O. Rise, and Fritz Hagen, her husband, mortgagors, to Clara L. Rise, mortgagee, dated the third day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty two, and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota on the 25th day of February A. D. 1922 at 3 o'clock P. M., and recorded therein in book 174 of Mortgages on page 10, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Burleigh county, North Dakota court house in the city of Bismarck, in Burleigh county, North Dakota at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. on the 25th day of February A. D. 1924 to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows:

The north west quarter (N. W. 1-4) of section twenty eight (28) in township one hundred and forty one (141) north, of range seventy five (75) west of the fifth principal meridian in Burleigh county, North Dakota.

By virtue of the option contained in said mortgage, the said mortgagee, whose name is now Clara L. Lund, has declared and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and this foreclosure is for the whole principal sum of said mortgage, with accrued interest thereon to the time of said sale, together with taxes on said land paid by said mortgagee.

All of the debt secured by said mortgage became due on January 3rd A. D. 1924.

There will be due on said mortgage at the date of sale the sum of fourteen hundred and twenty dollars and thirty two cents ($1420.32), besides the costs of this foreclosure.

Dated January 11th A. D. 1924.
Clara L. Lund, formerly Clara L. Rise,
Said Mortgagee.

George M. Register,
Attorney for said
Mortgagee, Bismarck, N. D.
1-11-18-25—2-1-8-15

DEDICATES SCHOOL

Miss Minnie Neilson will speak at the dedication of a new school at Sheldon, Ransom county, Friday night. The modern new building replaces one destroyed by fire last year.

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FARMERS FOR LESS WHEAT

Meeting in Wilton Area Results in Vote to Decrease It

Wilton, N. D., Jan. 11.—The work of holding Community meetings has been continued by County Extension Agent Norling. Farmers meet at these meetings to talk over things which they can do locally for the good of their community. Some communities decide on one breed of hogs and cattle, others decide to increase corn, cut the wheat acreage, etc.

At the Wilton meeting held Wednesday of last week the farmers voted to cut wheat acreage thirty per cent, increase corn forty per cent and plant twenty five new fields of sweet clover. Milking Shorthorns and Holsteins were decided on as the main breeds of cattle for Wilton and Duroc Jersey and Chester White the main breeds of hogs for Wilton.

I. S. Maxwell will have charge of corn; Mike Roowsky, sweet clover; Wm. Brown, milking Shorthorns; I. S. Maxwell, Holsteins; A. E. Anderson, Duroc hogs and J. R. Dennis, Chester White hogs.

Visitors to the British Museum during 1922 showed an increase of 78,000 over those in the previous year; there were 914,354 on weekdays and 60,948 on Sundays.

No Razors in Those Days

"Minion, tell me the truth!" thundered his august majesty. "What makes all these nicks in my broadsword?"

"Sire," replied the trembling page, "I don't want to be a snitch on a woman, but the queen's been sharpening pencils."—Washington Sun Dodger.

Auditorium
Tonight
$2.20, $1.65, $1.10
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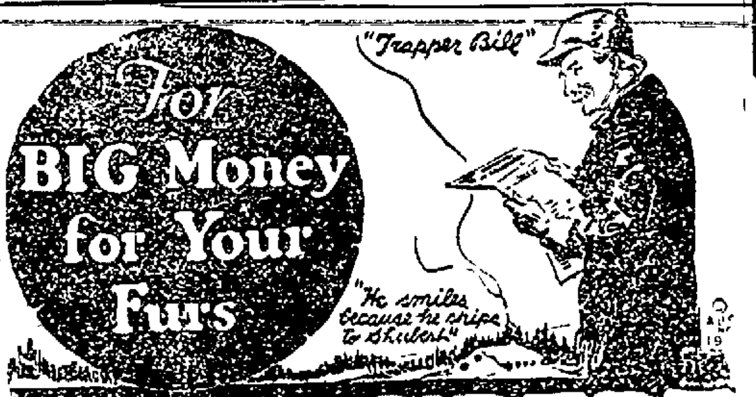
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WAITRESS TO GET $20,000, KEEPS ON JOB

Minot Woman Notified She Is Heir to Small Fortune In Montana

HOW SHE'LL SPEND IT

Minot, N. D., Jan. 11.—A tale of Arabian Nights brought up to date is being chronicled in the life of Mrs. Hilda Foss Mondou of Minot, as the result of a news story of a lost heiress published recently in The News [illegible] Mrs. Mondou for the past two years a waitress at the Leland hotel plans to leave within the next few days for Montana to claim a fortune of $20,000 left by her father who died December [illegible] at Anaconda leaving his entire life savings to a daughter [illegible] he had not seen since she was seven years of age.

The strange story of a parent, [illegible] A. Johnson, believed to be of small means, who [illegible] before death signified that his [illegible] daughter was to be his sole heir and whose rude cabin after his death revealed a hoard of liberty bonds and stocks, reached Minot yesterday through word from Butte, Mont. [illegible] girl had at [illegible] time [illegible] left of Minot.

By a strange coincidence [illegible] day Police Chief [illegible] received word [illegible] heiress [illegible] from an acquaintance at Great Falls, Mont.

Prompt Police Aid

Within an hour [illegible] yesterday [illegible] of The News appeared on the street with [illegible] of a dishwasher sought in Minot to claim a fortune, Mrs. Mondou had been located and informed of the kind turn of fate in her life. A woman telephoned to Police Captain Homer [illegible] Looby and told him that a Miss Hilda Foss had been married a few months ago in Minot to a man by the name of Mondou. Looby is personally acquainted with Norris Mondou, the husband, and knew that his wife worked at the local hotel, so he at once went to the hostelry and conveyed to her the tidings that she was being sought to claim the fortune.

And thus the tale of Aladdin's lamp was re-enacted in Minot with the press serving as the fabled lamp, rubbed by the finger of publicity.

Continues Employment

Despite the fact that it will only be a matter of time until the legal routine has been gone through and Mrs. Mondou comes into actual possession of the inheritance, she returned to work as waitress, although she let it be known that she does not intend to continue in this employment.

"So you want to know how I am going to spend it," she replied to [illegible] as to what she intended to do with the $20,000. "Well, the major portion of it I intend to invest in some business that I am positive will yield me a good return."

And then glancing down at her [illegible] hand, she displayed two rings, one [illegible] [illegible] and the other a diamond. "I think I'll get me a larger diamond," she continued, and then meeting her gaze at her dress: "I believe I'll get me a new dress, and," turning to her husband who beamed proudly, "I guess, Norris, we'll probably take that honeymoon which was lacking after we were married."

Later the fair haired heiress conceded that she [illegible] just learning to skate and has been wanting to purchase a new pair of skates for some time.

Will Now Buy Skates

"Guess I'll buy a pair of skates pretty soon, too," she said.

"What about getting a house with a bathtub in it," chimed the girl's mother.

"Oh yes, I [illegible] forget that [illegible] We'll attend to that right away," was the reply.

"But I'm not going to spend the money foolishly," continued Mrs. Mondou. "It won't last long if I buy everything that I [illegible] to [illegible] I'm going to [illegible] [illegible] can't find [illegible] business that I can [illegible] [illegible] then I will [illegible] good [illegible] I have often thought [illegible] I would like to own a small [illegible] house or a [illegible] and [illegible] I'll buy either of these two.

"Goodness, but doesn't $20,000 seem like a lot of money, though. I can imagine myself possessing $1,000, $2,000 or maybe $5,000, but $20,000—doesn't seem like it can be true."

Grand Forks County Man Boomed by Leaguers

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candidate and hope that the state will express itself in favor of a progressive.

"The thirteen men and women chosen are not pledged to any one man, nor any set of candidates be[illegible] as a set for one man or another but must file individually and pledge themselves to carry out the wishes of the people as expressed at the polls."

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The Ward county league controlled republican central committee, meeting this week, reaffirmed its "confidence in the Republican party, in the capacity and patriotic purposes of its leaders" and following the action of the recent state committee meeting here, endorsed President Coolidge. The resolutions said in part:

"We condemn the attitude of those who question the republicanism of declared republicans, because of differences of opinion in purely local affairs, especially so when at the same time they express opinions in regard to party matters [illegible] [illegible] Such [illegible] discord in our ranks.

"There [illegible] ing created [illegible] state [illegible] convention [illegible] [illegible] However [illegible] masses of North Dakota [illegible] far [illegible] publican party [illegible] necessarily go largely [illegible]

"Such [illegible] back on our chosen [illegible] when [illegible] confirm their consideration of President Coolidge and we [illegible] the efforts [illegible] Ward county [illegible]

Rough Riders Memorial To Roosevelt

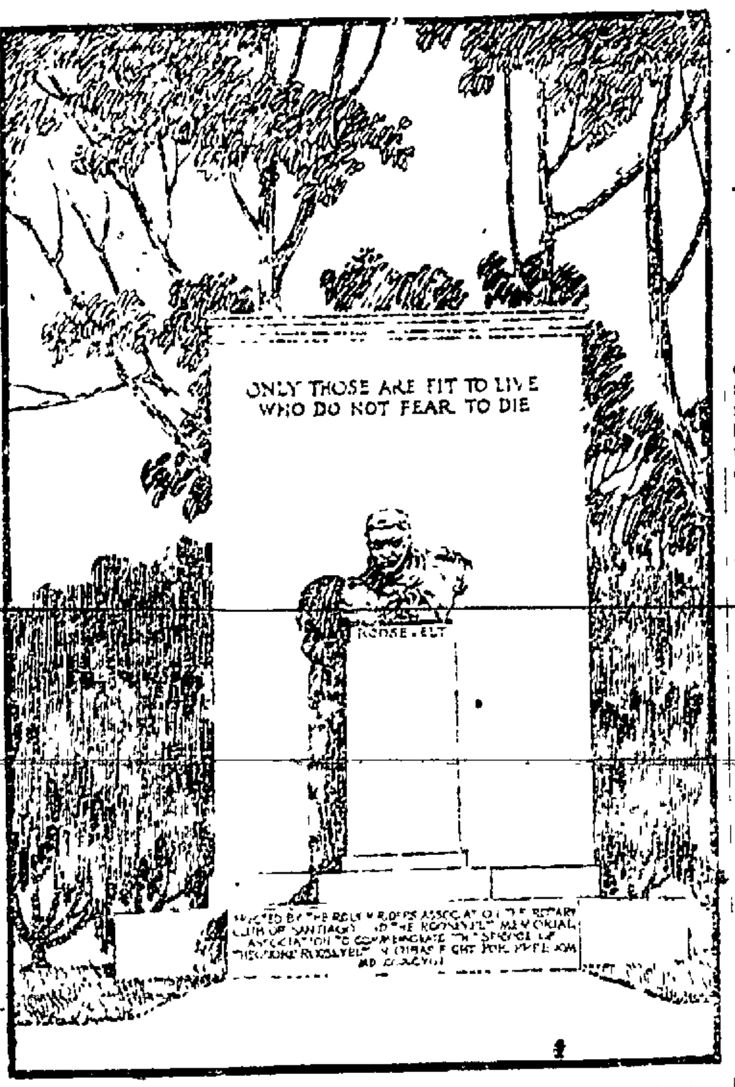
Monument To Stand On Road To San Juan Hill

IN [illegible] Rough Riders Association [illegible] former [illegible] Rotary [illegible] Club of [illegible] Roosevelt Memorial Association.

The monument [illegible] design [illegible] Building in W[illegible] [illegible] Roosevelt [illegible] Abraham Lincoln [illegible] Rough Riders [illegible] Roosevelt [illegible] the quotation "Only those are fit to live who do not fear to die." At the base is the inscription: "Erected by the Rough Riders' Association, the Rotary Club of Santiago and the Roosevelt Memorial Association to commemorate the service of Theodore Roosevelt in Cuba's fight for freedom." The inscriptions will be in Spanish.

The monument will stand [illegible] prominent point on [illegible] road leading from Santiago to San Juan Hill [illegible] Association [illegible] and required [illegible] committee of [illegible] General John C. Greenway of Warren, Arizona, is chairman and George G. McMurtry of New York, treasurer. General Leonard Wood, formerly colonel of the famous regiment, is honorary chairman. It is planned to have the ceremony of unveiling take place in 1924.

General Greenway stated that as the Rough Riders find their membership scattered throughout the United States it is extremely difficult to reach all the members and give them an opportunity to make personal subscriptions. He [illegible] the hope that the newspaper would co-operate in helping the Rough Riders Association to reach those members whose addresses are unknown. General Greenway stated that contributions for the monument and addresses of former Rough Riders should be sent to Mr. George G. McMurtry, Roosevelt Memorial Association, One Madison Avenue, New York.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ERECTED BY THE ROUGH RIDERS ASSOCIATION THE ROTARY CLUB OF SANTIAGO AND THE ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION TO COMMEMORATE THE SERVICE OF THEODORE ROOSEVELT IN CUBA'S FIGHT FOR FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY

TAX INCREASE IN CITY TOLD TO ENGINEERS

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[illegible] except to [illegible]

"Comparing the year 1915 with the year 1922 [illegible] levies in North Dakota [illegible] $15,05[illegible] This [illegible] increase in general [illegible] does not [illegible] increase in special [illegible] half [illegible] and various other special [illegible] the state was [illegible] increase [illegible] 175 percent [illegible] towns [illegible] schools [illegible] percent [illegible] percent column [illegible] [illegible] 1090 percent, all other purposes 265 percent.

"The 1923 legislative assembly, with the help of the Governor's veto, cut appropriations 9 percent. The tax levy of 1923 is cut 16 percent and the general fund levy 26 percent."

"The increase in county taxes," Mr. Baker said, "cannot be blamed on any particular item." They did increase [illegible] percent from 1915 to 1922.

Increase in Counties

"To a considerable extent, the increase in county expenditures was caused by factors over which county boards had no control or very limited control," said Mr. Baker. "Increased expenditures for care of insane [illegible] public printing and general law enforcement was responsible for over $1,000,000 of the increase. County roads and bridges were responsible to a very large extent for [illegible] balance of the increase.

"It may be interesting to you as engineers [illegible] the total amount [illegible] for road and bridge purposes in the last seven years [illegible] amounted to $11,417,928.75, county bridges [illegible] township road and bridges $2,10[illegible],579.75, town and village road levies $810,609.09. To[illegible] bridge levies amounted to [illegible] This amounted to 17 percent of the total taxes levied on property in this state in the last seven [illegible]

"School expenditures have increased [illegible] in the last seven [illegible]," Mr. Baker said, "the chief increases being for road and bridge [illegible]

"[illegible] taxes," Mr. Baker said, "[illegible] percent from 1915 to 1922 [illegible] amount of the increase [illegible] $8,0[illegible]2,500, and the [illegible]

"The principal cause of increase [illegible] for the [illegible] of pupils [illegible] salaries," said Mr. Baker. "Teachers' salaries are responsible for approximately 55 percent of the total school expenditures [illegible] profession is entitled [illegible] well as any other [illegible] Consequently, I [illegible] the increase [illegible] on account of [illegible] of teacher [illegible] out that it is [illegible] excessive school expenditures [illegible] many taxing districts [illegible] the result of poor [illegible] and poor judgment on the part of the school boards. This is not a general criticism, but it is true of many taxing districts."

Remedy Sought

The legislature of 1923, Mr. Baker declared, sought to remedy an unfair distribution of the tax burden.

"A very great deal of complaint is being raised by many residents of the cities and villages of the state on account of being forced from the non-paying class to the taxpaying class," Mr. Baker said. "This was the result aimed at by the legislative assembly. It was their idea that every dollar's worth of property should be subject to tax. I believe that it was also their idea that if each resident were required to pay taxes that the people would not be so ready to vote for increased expenditures of public money or to increase the public indebtedness. When each taxpayer realizes that he is voting money out of his pocket naturally he will hesitate in approving increases in public expenditures and public indebtedness unless the necessity thereof is clearly demonstrated."

Under previous taxing laws, Mr. Baker said, a large number of citizens were relieved from all taxes except road and school poll taxes.

Judge I. C. Davies explained to the engineers what increased jurisdiction for the county court would mean.

HELPED LITTLE GIRL'S COUGH

"FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND is fine. My little girl had an awful cough. I got a bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND and gave her a few doses and she was greatly relieved," writes Clyde H. Benson, Marlbrook, Virginia. The best remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness; relieves promptly and effectively. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND has stood the test of time, serving three generations.

VARSITY ORATORS PICKED

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 11.—Six orators who will compete for University of North Dakota honors and the right to represent the institution in intercollegiate contests were announced. They are: Lu[illegible] [illegible], Towner; William Leick, Kr[illegible]; Edgar Hoaldridge, Thompson; Oliver Peterson, Minot; Samuel James, Forest River, and Maurice Ryan, Grand Forks.

WHERE NEARLY 40 WERE KILLED

Here is a cross-section of the starch plant of the Corn Products Refining Company, at Pekin, Ill., following the explosion in which between 35 and 40 persons were killed and 100 injured. Even brick walls were crumpled by the dry dust blast. Ice from the water poured on the flames has greatly impeded search for bodies.

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SHORT COURSES TO BE OFFERED THROUGH I. H. C.

Announcement Made That Live Communities in Western N. D. May Get Them

Five two-day short courses in agriculture, conducted by noted leaders, may be obtained by live communities in the territory of the Bismarck branch of the International Harvester Company, it was announced today by J. C. Taylor, branch manager. The extension short courses are conducted by the I. H. C. as a part of its contribution to a better agriculture program.

Mr. Taylor said today in a letter to numerous individuals and organizations:

"The Bismarck branch feels fortunate in having secured five two-day Short Courses to be held in its territory between March 17th to March 29th. The selection of five communities in which to hold these meetings out of the 115 in our territory depends on the communities themselves. Only those communities who can convince us of an enthusiastic interest and a sincere desire to make the Short Course Community Meeting the biggest and best event of the year in their territories will be considered in the final selection.

"If you believe that your community can be actively interested in securing one of these meetings we suggest that you take up the matter with other leaders. Every branch of community activity—commercial, civic, social, religious and educational—should be enlisted in the work. If, upon receipt of your petition, we are convinced that your community really wants one of these Short Courses and is in a position to put it on successfully, we will assist you by sending one of our organizers to meet with you a month or so in advance of the event."

FOUND HANGING TO TREE.

Linton, N. D., Jan. 11.—Mystery surrounding the disappearance of Frederick, 19-year-old son of Jacob Bender, farmer living 20 miles southwest of here, was solved when his frozen body was found hanging from the limb of a tree in the woods about a mile from the home.

There were marks in the crotch of a tree showing where the youth had stood while he affixed a double strand of barbed wire to a limb and about his neck and then leaped to his death.

AT ALL DRUGGISTS
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FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

N. D. YOUTHS IN COMPETITION

Will Enter Judging Contests At Bozeman, Montana

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 11.—Thirty high school boys of this state will compete with other youths from Montana, Idaho, Wyoming and Washington, according to an announcement by E. H. Jones, supervisor of vocational agriculture for North Dakota schools. The contest, which will consist largely of livestock judging and similar vocational work, will take place at Bozeman, Mont., January 14-17, and is one of the largest contests of its kind held in the country, declares Mr. Jones. More than 40 young men competed in a similar contest the past year.

The North Dakota schools that are each sending a team of three men are Woodworth, Hazen, Golden Valley, Valley City, Dawson, South Heart, Steele, Beach, Noltumier, and LaMoure. Mr. Jones will accompany the teams as chaperon.

"Through the co-operation of the Northern Pacific railroads it is possible for the high schools of the state to send these men to the Montana contest," says Mr. Jones. "This railroad, through Mr. Benson, manager of their immigration department, informed us that it would donate a contribution to the North Dakota Agricultural college so that the college could pay transportation charges of the schools west of Valley City. The full charges from the school to Bozeman and return would be cared for."

ALLEGED ROBBER ON TRIAL

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 11.—John Backowski, captured recently at Superior, Wis., went on trial Wednesday, charged with grand larceny in connection with the alleged robbery of John Lepinski near Olso last fall.

FIREBUG SAID CAUSE OF FIRE AT UNION MINE

Minot, N. D., Jan. 11.—Positive belief that the fire which destroyed the tipple, engine house, hoisting apparatus and approach to the Union mine near Burlington Tuesday, was of incendiary origin was expressed by Sheriff A. S. Spicher, who with his deputy, W. E. Slaybaugh, investigated the case. An investigation is under way, the sheriff states. The loss is estimated at between $2,000 and $3,000.

The fire is believed to have started between 1 a. m. and 5 a. m.

According to Sheriff Spicher, an elevator gasoline storage house at Burlington was broken into on the night of the fire and two cans of gasoline were stolen. One of these cans, still full of gasoline, was found near Burlington and the other can empty, was found near the mine. Portions of the property which was destroyed had been saturated with gasoline, officials assert.

It will require two or three weeks to make repairs at the mine, necessitated by the fire, it is said.

The Union mine recently cut wages of its employes approximately 10 per cent. Although the men walked out, some have returned to work, it is declared, and other miners have been secured to take the places of those who did not return.

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Social and Personal

Dinner Party For The Fields

A beautiful formal bridge dinner was given by Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Cole at their home at 209 Park avenue last evening complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Fields. Covers were laid for fourteen guests at tables beautifully decorated with ferns and roses. Three tables were played during the evening at which the honors were won by Mrs. Dr. C. E. Stackhouse. This is one of the many pleasant social affairs being given for the Fields this week, before their departure for Grand Forks early next next week.

This afternoon Mrs Tracy and Mrs. Breslow are entertaining at the home of the former complimentary to Mrs. Fields. The Tuesday Bridge club entertained earlier in the week for Mrs. Fields at which they presented her with a most beautiful and unique salad service as a remembrance of the esteem with which they cherished both Mrs. Fields and her husband.

MISS JAEGER BECOMES BRIDE

Miss Marion Jaeger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jaeger of this city was married to Fred J. Walker, Tuesday evening, January 8 by Justice Anton Beer. Miss Jaeger wore a black beaded satin faced canton crepe dress. Mr. Walker is a Bismarck boy, his parents residing on Twelfth street. He is employed at the McKenzie Barber shop. Miss Jaeger was in the employ of the Compensation Bureau. Later they plan a honeymoon trip to the Cities. Mr and Mrs Walker will make their home in Bismarck.

THURSDAY MUSICAL CLUB

The Thursday Musical Club met at the home of Mrs. E. H. L. Vesperman on Avenue A yesterday afternoon with fifteen members present. Mrs. R. E. Morris delightfully presided at this meeting. The following program was presented:

Italian

Piano Duet—"Sextette from Lucia"—Donizetti.
Mrs. R. E. Morris and Mrs. J. L Hughes
Vocal—"Saren Rose"—Arditti—
Mrs. Frank Barnes.
Piano — "Valse Brilliante"—Mana Zucca.
Mrs. M. Morris.
Vocal—"One Fine Day" from "Madame Butterfly"—Puccini.
Mrs. Graham.
Vocal—"If Thou Lovest Me"—Pergolesi; "My Sunshine"—di Capua.
Mrs. G. E. Wingreene.
Piano—"Capricho"—Blanco.
Mrs. J. L. Hughes.

PLLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

Mrs. T. E. Flaherty of 815 Second street was very pleasantly surprised at her home last evening the occasion being her birthday. Twenty friends gathered and after an evening spent at "bridge" at which six tables played, a delicious luncheon was enjoyed which the guests had provided. Honors were won by E. R. Gorman and Mrs. C. B. Whittey. A social hour followed the luncheon in which singing and dancing were enjoyed.

SUNSHINE CLUB

The Sunshine Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Perry, at 523 Second street. Election of officers was held. Mrs. E. T. Burke was chosen to head the society for 1924. Mrs. J. C. Beck, as secretary and Mrs. E. F. Trepp as treasurer complete an efficient organization. Although the membership is but fifteen, the Sunshine society of this city has established an enviable record for charitable work.

N. U. BRIDGE CLUB LUNCHEON.

The N. U. Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. P. B. Tracy at her home in the Murphy apartments, Wednesday at a 1:30 bridge-luncheon. Two tables were played during the afternoon. Several members of the club being ill the club entertained Mrs. J. B. Wallace, Mrs. H. T. Perry, Mrs. A. L. Overbee and Mrs. J. L. Mullin.

PROGRESSIVE WHIST PARTY

Mrs. Hugh McGarvey and Miss Catherine Bleth entertained four tables at a progressive whist party Wednesday evening, at the home of Mrs. McGarvey on Avenue C. At the close of the evening the hostesses served a delicious two-course lunch. Honors were won by Miss Gail Hawk and Mrs. B. E. Hitchcock.

VISITING HERE.

Mrs. L. L. Butterwick and baby son are in the city visiting with Mr. Butterwick over the week-end. Mrs. Butterwick went as a delegate to the Degree of Honor convention which met at Jamestown, from Minnewaukan. She is returning by this way to her home in that city.

STANDARD BEARERS TO MEET.

The Standard Bearer society of the Methodist church will meet Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Miss Jack, 701 Sixth street. Miss Sigred Josephson will be hostess. The program is in charge of Miss Marjorie Bolton.

U. C. T. AUXILARY MEETING.

A regular meeting of the U. C. T. Auxilary will be held tomorrow evening at Elks hall at 8 p. m. Dancing and refreshments will follow the business meeting. All members are requested to be present.

CALLED TO PORTLAND.

Francis T. Hillman of the State Highway Commission was called to Portland, Oregon, yesterday by the death of his father in that city. Mr. Hillman left yesterday.

PICNIC CLUB

The Picnic Club was entertained by Mrs. Henry Richholt at her home yesterday at a 12:30 dinner. Covers were laid for twelve at a very prettily laid table. Bridge was played until five o'clock.

HERE FROM WILTON

C. W. Stewart, here from Wilton today, reported that the extreme cold weather of the last two weeks had caused a tremendous increase in the outcome of lignite coal there. A large number of men are employed in the mine.

SURPRISE PARTY

A delightful surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Preston at their home near the Indian School, Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing cards and games, and dancing, after which a dainty luncheon was served.

TO STREETER AND NAPOLEON

Attorney H. C. Young of Fargo, who was in the city Tuesday left for Streeter and Napoleon yesterday to attend to some legal affairs before returning to his home.

BAPTIST LADIES AID

The regular meeting of the Baptist Ladies Aid was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edw. Kafer on Second Street. This was a work meeting at which carpet rags were cut and sewed.

CITY NEWS

Greatly Improved

Mrs. W. Hanewold of Sixth street is greatly improved after suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Board to Meet.

The Sunday School board of the McCabe Methodist Episcopal church will hold a meeting tonight at 8:30 following the prayer meeting.

Communication Restored.

Telephone and telegraph communication which was interrupted by storms around Valley City and Jamestown was completely restored last night.

Births

A baby son was born to Mrs. Geo. Rambow of Solen, N. D., at St. Alexius hospital, yesterday.

A girl was born to Mrs. R. H. Poff, at the St Alexius hospital.

Second Semester

The second semester will open Monday, January 21. All students who expect to enter the schools at that time are requested to enroll this next week at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Play Basketball

The Bismarck High School second team will play the St. Mary's High School tonight at 8:00 at St. Mary's gym. The St. Mary's girls first and second team will play the preliminaries at 7:15. Two good games are expected.

St. Alexius Hospital

Admitted at St Alexius hospital: Michael Fetch, Beulah; Mrs. S. E. Carlson, Washburn, H. E. Peterson, city; Miss Irene Arntz, Burnstad; Miss Mary Oster, city.

Discharged: H. H. Reese, Van Hook; Adolph Kreuger, Hazen; Miss Pauline Schmirer, city.

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This afternoon Mrs Tracy and Mrs. Breslow are entertaining at the home of the former complimentary to Mrs. Fields. The Tuesday Bridge club entertained earlier in the week for Mrs. Fields at which they presented her with a most beautiful and unique salad service as a remembrance of the esteem with which they cherished both Mrs. Fields and her husband.

MISS JAEGER BECOMES BRIDE

Miss Marion Jaeger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jaeger of this city was married to Fred J. Walker, Tuesday evening, January 8 by Justice Anton Beer. Miss Jaeger wore a black beaded satin faced canton crepe dress. Mr. Walker is a Bismarck boy, his parents residing on Twelfth street. He is employed at the McKenzie Barber shop. Miss Jaeger was in the employ of the Compensation Bureau. Later they plan a honeymoon trip to the Cities. Mr and Mrs Walker will make their home in Bismarck.

THURSDAY MUSICAL CLUB

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Italian

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Mrs. T. E. Flaherty of 815 Second street was very pleasantly surprised at her home last evening the occasion being her birthday. Twenty friends gathered and after an evening spent at "bridge" at which six tables played, a delicious luncheon was enjoyed which the guests had provided. Honors were won by E. B. Gorman and Mrs. C. B. Whittey. A social hour followed the luncheon in which singing and dancing were enjoyed.

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The Sunshine Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Perry, at 523 Second street. Election of officers was held. Mrs. E. T. Burke was chosen to head the society for 1924. Mrs. J. C. Beck, as secretary and Mrs. E. F. Trepp as treasurer complete an efficient organization. Although the membership is but fifteen, the Sunshine society of this city has established an enviable record for charitable work.

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VISITING HERE.

Mrs. L. L. Butterwick and baby son are in the city visiting with Mr. Butterwick over the week-end. Mrs. Butterwick went as a delegate to the Degree of Honor convention which met at Jamestown, from Minnewaukan. She is returning by this way to her home in that city.

STANDARD BEARERS TO MEET.

The Standard Bearer society of the Methodist church will meet Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Miss Jack, 701 Sixth street. Miss Sigred Josephson will be hostess. The program is in charge of Miss Marjorie Bolton.

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THE FIRST STEP

The election of Senator Smith, Democrat, to head the Interstate Commerce Committee of the United States with the aid of votes of nominal Republicans, may be the beginning of an important change in the affairs of the national legislature. It is the greatest stroke of bloc or group legislation as opposed to party responsibility and it is not impossible to believe that eventually it may reach that state frankly desired by some politicians where governments will rise and fall with the change of power in the national legislature, as they do in Europe.

The open repudiation of party responsibility by insurgent senators is an unwelcome event. The governments of Europe have for decades been made up of groups and blocs and the result has been a hodge-podge of legislation, an instability of policy, a breaking down of democracy. It is, as Secretary Hoover has ably pointed out, but one step from the breakdown of party government to a dictatorship. Although the American system has been roundly condemned, although it is of course imperfect, yet it cannot be denied that progress has been made, that parties have developed and changed as public opinion has developed and changed, that a stability of policy and freedom of action have been given governments which have materially aided in the building of a permanent and lasting prosperity.

There has never been in sober minds a tendency to deny the right of individuals or groups within parties to demand changes and propose a new course for an established political party, nor can one deny the right to any individual to seek to set up a rival political unit. There is, in the light of the history of the political and economic development of the nation, ample reason for viewing with alarm a policy of "boring from within," of usurping a party name in order to assassinate it. Nor is this apprehension founded merely upon a fear for the welfare of the political party in question; but it is founded upon a realization that substitution of the aims of selfish individuals or groups for that of a great political body may lead to a disastrous end.

The possibility of the situation which has arisen in Congress, in which North Dakota Senators have joined with the Democrats, was pointed out by The Tribune and other newspapers when many men who called themselves good Republicans caused the election of Senator Frazier through their desire for revenge on Senator McCumber.

The defeat of Senator Cummins for the chairmanship means the passing of a man who for many years has been labelled a progressive, who has been regarded by the people in his own state and the nation as an able and conscientious man. And it is quite likely that those insurgents who sought to break down the Republican party's power in Congress will defeat their own announced purpose of forcing a change in the railroad policy of the nation by bringing about a division of power and responsibility.

CAN'T ESCAPE IT

Every ten years, diseases attack the rabbits in America. Most of them die. Goshawks, the natural enemies of rabbits, have to hunt something else to eat. The goshawks begin attacking birds, especially ruffled grouse or partridges.

The grouse soon dwindle in numbers. And, with goshawks preying chiefly on grouse, the rabbits get a chance to multiply. Soon there are plenty of rabbits and very few grouse.

Then the goshawks turn their attention to the rabbits and the whole process repeats all over again. It's part of nature's intricate system of checks and balances.

Man in the long run is regulated by much the same sort of check-and-balance system as are other forms of life. You know the old theory of Malthus, that population would increase beyond the earth's ability to support it, if nature didn't curb population by death.

Malthus included wars as a necessary part of the death check-and-balance, but in this he was wrong. Diseases and "natural" death(body worn out by use, like an old machine) are sufficient to keep population within necessary bounds.

Scientists hope to make medical discoveries to enable people to live to an average age of 200 or more years. Wouldn't that be contrary to natural law? Obviously, for as fast as science conquers death in one form, death begins to attack in new ways. For instance, death-dealing nerve maladies are on the increase, counteracting the gain made by science conquering fevers, diabetes and other ailments that formally meant certain death.

TOO MUCH LAW

A fur dealer in New York City bought a live raccoon for $5 and displayed it in his shop window to attract attention. The raccoon knocked over its saucer of milk and got its feet wet.

This aroused the ire of a woman passing by. She had the furrier arrested for cruelty to animals. He was released on $500 bail. A sensible judge now tells him to go his way without penalty, and asks if the Humane Society wants the raccoon kept at the Waldorf.

This incident is one of many, indicating that we are steadily approaching the time when every action will be regulated by law. By contrast, liquor prohibition may prove a tame form of regulation.

LOSES OWN DAUGHTER

A noted surgeon, Sir Frederick Treves, died recently in England. It's revealed that he performed or directed 1000 operations for appendicitis, losing only one patient—his own daughter. All the other operations were successful.

Fate is like lightning. One never knows where it will strike. However, fate's uncertainty and irony are what make life really interesting. Existence would become monotonous if everything were cut-and-dried and the road forever paved with roses.

EDITORIAL REVIEW

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THE PEACE PLAN AWARD

The Bok peace plan award will prove disappointing, no doubt, to those who expected the great prize offer to evoke some new and magic scheme of making world peace permanent. But there is no royal road to lasting peace. The road, on the contrary, is slow and arduous, beset with difficulties, threatened by martial ambushes. Human civilization goes upward and onward—sometimes by leaps and bounds, sometimes so slowly that progress is indistinguishable, sometimes even by seeming to fall back. But it does go.

The prize-winning plan is promising, but not brilliant. It will repay study. It points out a way in which the United States, without abandoning or compromising its principles and traditions, may take the international instruments that already exist and mold and shape them to a better usage.

The League of Nations now functioning is a very different thing from that which the Covenant sought to set up and which the American people so decisively rejected. It will be farther improved by experience. It will become eventually an instrument whose use will be entirely based on moral power. When that day comes—and perhaps we Americans may hasten its dawn—the United States can more fully participate in its contributions to world adjustment.

The prize plan is a real contribution to the literature of world comity. Whether anything practical comes out of it in the near future, is perhaps to be doubted. But Edward Bok had a good idea, and the fruit it has already borne is well worth while. At the very least, it set nearly twenty-five thousand competitors to thinking, studying and suggesting. At the most, it may prove the way toward a better co-operation of the nations to prevent war.—Minneapolis Journal.

ANENT COL. BLOOM

The North Dakota Nonpartisan is the latest league newspaper to be launched in our neighboring state. John Bloom, one of the league's niftiest jugglers of economic sophistry, is in charge. It is printed in Bismarck and will be issued weekly—throughout the coming campaign at least.—Duluth Herald.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

Nany and Nick and Tom Tucker and the balloon-man all went to hunt for the lost Tweedles, Dum and Dee.

They looked all over the circus grounds, where men were busy getting things ready for the big show in the afternoon.

They looked around the pop-corn stands and lemonade stands and all the side-shows. And they looked around the fortune-teller's tent and everywhere. But no Tweedles could they see.

"My goodness! It looks as though some big elephant had run on with them or some big lion had swallowed them up," laughed the balloon-man, who was very good-natured. "I just got some brand-new balloons from Balloon Land and I'd certainly like to find them, for time is flying and I should be out selling this very minute."

Balloon Land! Flying!

The words made Nancy uneasy. And without knowing just why, she looked up.

And what she saw surprised her so that she couldn't speak for a moment. All she could do was to point. Nick and Tom looked up and the balloon-man looked up and then the circus people looked up—clowns and everybody.

"Oh! Oh! Oh!" shouted everybody, "Quick! Get the big nets! They'll fall!"

For there, up in the sky, sailed Tweedle Dum, hanging onto one bunch of balloons, and beside him was Dee, hanging onto another bunch of balloons. The sun was shining right on them and there was no mistaking who it was—Dum, in his red stocking-cap, and Dee, in his blue. The balloons shone with every color like big bunches of fancy grapes.

"Come down! Come down out of that!" called the balloon-man.

But he might as well have called to the clouds or stars or moon to come down from their places. The balloons went right on up—up and up and up! Indeed, they were getting so small that it was impossible to tell by this time which was Dum and which was Dee.

"Dear! Dear! This is dreadful," said the balloon-man. "What can we do about it? Has anybody an airplane?"

But nobody had.

"I know where they are going!" said Nick. "They're going to the Land of Lost Balloons, up in the sky. Nancy and I were there once."

"Well, do hurry and go after them," begged the balloon-man.

Fortunately, Daddy Gander came along just then. As luck would have it he had his magic dustpan with him.

"Please, Daddy Gander, ask your magic dustpan to take us after the Tweedle twins!" cried Nancy. "There they are, away up in the sky. The balloons ran off with them."

"How dreadful!" exclaimed poor Daddy Gander. "What if they should happen to meet Mother Goose? I'd never hear the end of it. Hop on!"

grow and by this time was large enough to hold them all. Away it went skyward in the direction the poor Tweedles had taken.

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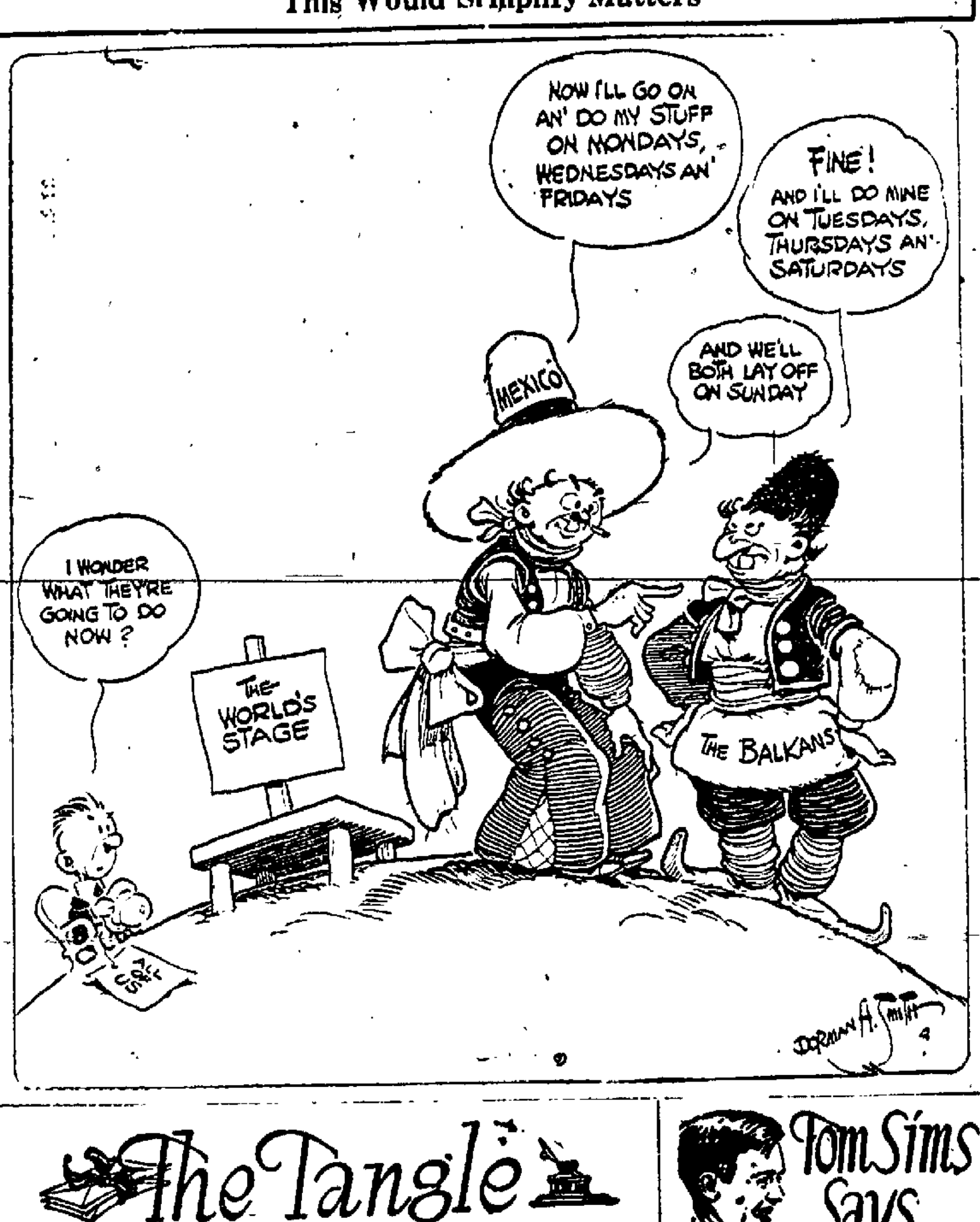
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The Tangle

LETTER FROM SIDNEY CARTON TO JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT

I haven't written you, Jack, because I have been too damn mad. I was afraid to entrust what I would write to the mail bag for fear it would burn up the other letters.

Of all selfish, unappreciative, egotistical, silly asses that I have ever met you take the cake. Do you think I am a man of straw to be thrown about as a buffet for your despicable carcass?

It is all very well for you to write me that self-preservation is the first law of nature, but what about me? Do you think it was a decent kind of thing to do to let Leslie imagine I was the father of your own baby? For he is your baby. I've got the whole thing from Paula.

Right here let me say that Paula Perier is much too good for you and she only put that baby on your doorstep because she had an idea Leslie was the true sweet woman she is and would take care of her child when it was impossible for her to care for it.

You really didn't enter into her calculations in the least. She only saw that Leslie was ill and a baby was necessary to save her life.

Think of it! If it is possible that thoughts can be born in that deep vacuum encircled by your skull. The woman whom you wronged was ready to give to the woman you married her own child. Partly of course because she knew it would be well taken care of but more than all else because she knew the gift would probably save Leslie's life.

And you needn't tell me, Jack, that you haven't helped that damnable lie of my fatherhood. Why, I'll never dare to show my face to Leslie again. I wish I had told her all about you before you were married.

I suppose you thought it was a brilliant idea, but I'd like to smash that mass of emasculated molecules which you probably call your brain, in which the idea found lodgment.

You've stretched our friendship too far, Jack. All my life I have been the one to whom you have come with your troubles, brought on by your own assinine acts.

Now I am through.

I may as well tell you that Paula is wild to have her baby back. She seems to think she has done her duty by lending it to Leslie long enough to save your wife's life and now the boy should be returned to her.

Of course I told her that, as you had legally adopted it, she could do nothing. But you know Paula—although she has almost lost her accent and become a woman of the world, yet she has it in her to kick up more trouble than any woman I have ever known, if she thinks it is necessary to gain her ends.

In the meantime you might well know that I shall not lift a finger to help you out of this despicable scrape you have gotten me mixed up in, as well as yourself.

The only thing that worries me in the least is that these two girls—yes, I can call them girls for they are both on the threshold of life—will have to suffer long, long years on account of the shameful and utterly contemptible baseness of man's desire.

I'd like to write more to you but I can't find words to express the fury with which your letter filled me. I'll never forgive you for this.

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A Distance Man

"There goes a great track man."
"He look like a hobo to me."
"He is."—Oregon Lemon Punch.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

—AND I KNOW THAT TO BE A FACT—
BLAH!
—BECAUSE ALL THE EVIDENCE ....
AW, BLAH-BLAH!!
AW-EEE-AW-EEE-AW!!!!

Tom Sims Says

He's 70 and she's 69. They live in New York. Both go to dances and dance. That shows sense.

A bride of five months left home in Detroit. A man can't shave every morning before breakfast.

Leap Year news from Chicago. School teacher shortage reported.

New Orleans cops caught a William Desmond Taylor murder suspect, the first one this year.

A Denver judge gave a movie actor two years in the pen, but it wasn't for being a movie actor.

Rodolph Valentino, the sideburn movie star, would make an ideal brother. He has 150 suits.

Movie stars are getting to be as bad as many other people. Fortune is their misfortune.

A pumpkin in Fresno, Calif., weighs 80 pounds and would make pies enough to keep 300 people awake.

Los Angeles song writer's wife got a divorce. We don't blame her.

Leap Year news from Spokane is alarming. Woman's Club head says women should propose.

About 40,000 schooners went down off the Florida coast when a beer ship ran on the rocks.

Michigan bean growers will meet in Owosso. Fine chance for boarders to get in some dirty work.

Poor sailor married a rich girl in Manistee, Mich., poor sailor.

Here's great news for the soap makers. A woman in San Francisco is refusing to wear stockings.

Boston had a cat show. When we get mad enough we will say the first cat show was a sewing circle.

Fire destroyed a $250,000 school in Woodland, Calif., and proved that wishes do come true.

News from North Africa. Italians are fighting the Arabs, and the Arabian nights are bad.

Needy old women will be given the chorus girls' jobs in Germany. Sherman spoke a mouthful.

What could be more daring than a French soldier getting shaved in a German barber shop?

A St. Louis conductor stretched his neck out of place. Another evil result of longer skirts.

In this land where alimony is legal our soldiers are refused a bonus, and it isn't right.

If the scientists find we really did come from apes what are they going to do about it?

We tremble at the future life. And yet, we all think we will have friends in both places.

Blowing an auto horn will not drive the wolf from your door.

If a grouch followed his nose he would go through the floor.

A THOUGHT

Let not him that eateth despise [illegible] him which eateth not judge him that eateth: for God hath received him.—Rom. 14:3.

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The most generous and merciful in judgment upon the faults of others are always the most free from faults themselves.—Aughey.

The year's best book by America's best woman writer "BLACK OXEN" by GERTRUDE ATHERTON

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SYNOPSIS.

At a first night performance in New York, a beautiful young woman attracts attention by rising and leisurely surveying the audience through her glasses. Clavering, newspaper columnist, and his cousin, Dinwiddie, are particularly interested, Dinwiddie declaring that she is the image of Mary Ogden, a belle of thirty years ago, who had married a Count Zattiany and lived abroad. He is convinced that this is Mary's daughter. At Clavering's suggestion, Mrs. Oglethorpe, a friend of Mary Ogden's in her youth, is asked to solve the mystery. She calls on the young woman, receives a denial that she is Mary Ogden's daughter, but beyond that learns nothing.

Clavering, determined to find out who she is, follows her home from the theatre one night. Luck is with him, for she has forgotten her keys and he helps her get into the house. She invites him in and finally tells him she is the Countess Josef Zattiany, a cousin of Mary Ogden's; that she had married a relative of Mary's husband.

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She met his eyes calmly. "That was the cause of his interest? Cousin Mary always said that the likeness to herself as a young woman was rather remarkable, that we might be mother and daughter instead of only third cousins."

"Ah—yes—exactly. Is—is she with you?"

"No, alas! She is in a sanitarium in Vienna and likely to remain there for a long time. When Judge Trent wrote that it would be well for her interests if she came to New York she asked me to come instead and gave me her power of attorney. As my husband was killed in the first year of the war and I had no other ties, I can assure you I was glad to come. She shivered slightly. "Oh, yes! Vienna! To see so much misery and to be able to give so little help! But now that Mary's and my own fortune are restored I can assure you it gives me the greatest satisfaction of my life to send a large share of our incomes to our agent in Vienna."

This time there was an unmistakable ring of truth in her deep tones. And she was human. Clavering had begun to doubt it, notwithstanding her powerful disturbing magnetism. But was he falling in love with her? He was attracted, dazzled, and he still felt romantic. But love! In spite of his suspicions she seemed to move on a plane infinitely remote.

"Shall you stay here?"

"Oh, for a time, yes. I cannot see Cousin Mary, and even Paris is spoiled. Besides, Judge Trent wishes me to learn something of business. He is growing old and says that women nowadays take an interest in their investments. I certainly find it highly diverting."

"No doubt. But surely you will not continue to shut yourself up? You could know any one you choose. Judge Trent has only to give you a dinner. Unfortunately most of his respectable friends are a great many years older than yourself"—

"I have no desire to know them. In Paris, off and on, I met many of those elderly New York ladies of position. They all have that built-up look, with hats too small and high for their bony old faces, which they do not even soften with powder or the charming accessories of the toilet known to every European woman of fashion. And feathers! Why are they so fond of feathers—not charming drooping feathers, but a sort of clipped hedge, all of a size, like a garden plot: sometimes oblong, sometimes round? And why do they never look a la mode, in spite of their expensive furs and materials?"

"That is the sign manual of their intense respectability. The old regime would not compromise with fashion in all its extravagant changes for the world. Moreover, it is their serene belief that they may dress exactly as they choose, and they choose to keep an old tradition alive. Are not English duchesses much the same?"

"So. Well, I do not bore myself."

"But the younger women. They are the smartest in the world. There is not the least necessity you should bore yourself with the elders. Surely you must long for the society of women of your age."

She moved restlessly for the first time. "They were always in Europe before the war. I met many of them. They did not interest me. I hardly knew what they were talking about."

"But men. Surely a woman as young—and beautiful"—

"Oh, men!" Clavering had never heard as profound disillusion in any woman's tones. And then a curious expression of fear flitted through her eyes and she seemed to draw herself together.

"What has some brute of a man done to her?" thought Clavering with furious indignation, and feeling more romantic than ever. Could it have been her husband? For a moment he regretted that Count Josef Zattiany had gone beyond human vengeance.

"You are too young to hate men," he stammered. And then he went on with complete banality, "You have never met the right man."

"I am older than you perhaps think," she said drily. "And I have known a great many men—and of a variety! But," she added graciously, "I shall be glad if you will come and see me sometimes. I enjoy your column, and I am sure we shall find a great deal to talk about."

Clavering glowed with a pride that almost convinced him he was not as blase as he had hoped. He rose, however.

"I'll come as often as you will let me. Make no mistake about that. But I should not have stayed so long. It is very late, and you are—well, rather unprotected, you know. I think you should have a chaperon."

"I certainly shall not. And if I find you interesting enough to talk with until two in the morning, I shall do so. Dine with me tomorrow night if you have nothing better to do. And"— She hesitated a moment, then added with a curious smile. "Bring Mr. Dinwiddie. It is always charitable to lay a ghost. At half after eight?"

She walked with him to the front door, and when he held out his hand she lifted hers absently. He was a quick-witted young man and he understood. He raised it lightly to his lips, then let himself out. As he was walking rapidly toward Park Avenue, wondering if he should tramp for hours—he had never felt less like sleeping—he remembered the broken window. The "crime wave" was terrorizing New York. There was no policeman in sight. To leave her unprotected was unthinkable. He walked back slowly until he reached the lamp-post opposite her house; finally, grinning, he folded his arms and leaned against it. There he stood until a policeman came strolling along, some two hours later. He stated the case and told the officer that if anything happened to the house he would hold him responsible. The man was inclined to be intensely suspicious until Clavering mentioned his newspaper and followed the threat with a bill. Then he promised to watch the house like a hawk, and Clavering, tired, stiff, and very cold, went home to bed.

VIII

"Tommy rot. Don't believe a word of it. Mary's mother was one of the Thornhills. Don't believe there ever was a Virginia branch. But I'll soon find out. Also about this Josef Zattiany. That girl is Mary Ogden's daughter."

They were seated in a corner of Mr. Dinwiddie's favorite club, where they had met by appointment. Clavering shrugged his shoulders. He had no intention of communicating his own doubts.

"But you'll dine there tonight?"

"Won't I? And I'll keep my ears open."

Clavering privately thought that the Countess Josef Zattiany would be more than a match for him, but replied: "After all, what does it matter? She is a beautiful and charming woman and no doubt you'll have a very good dinner."

"That's all very well as far as it goes, but I've never been so interested in my life. Of course if she's Mary's daughter I'll do anything to befriend her—that is if she'll be honest enough to admit it. But I don't like all this lying and pretence"—

"I think your terms are too strong. There have been extraordinary resemblances before in the history of the world, 'doubles,' for instance, where there was no known relationship. Rather remarkable there are enough faces to go round. And she confesses to be of the same family. At all events you must admit that she has not made use of her alibi to force her way into society."

"Probably knows her alibi won't stand the strain. The women would soon ferret out the truth. . . . What I'm afraid of is that she's got this power of attorney out of Mary when the poor girl was too weak to resist, and is over here to corral the entire fortune."

"But surely Judge Trent"—

"Oh, Trent! He's a fool where women are concerned. Always was, and now he's got to the stage where he can't sit beside a girl without pawing her. They won't have him in the house. Of course this lovely creature's got him under her thumb. (I'll see him today and give him a piece of my mind for the lies he's told me.) And if this girl has inherited her mother's brains, she's equal to anything."

"I thought that your Mary was composite perfection."

"Never said anything of the sort. Didn't I tell you she always kept us guessing."

(To be continued)

Parental Wrath

"And did her father follow them when they eloped?"

"Sure, he's living with them yet."—Hamilton Royal Gaboon.

An Idyllic Existence

"Your son must be the idol of his family."

"Yes, he has been idle for 21 years."—Penn. State Froth.

43 LIVES ARE THOUGHT LOST ON SUBMARINE

Nothing to Indicate That Any Men of the L-24 Crew Escaped

London, Jan. 11.—The British submarine L-24, rammed by the dreadnaught Resolution yesterday, is lying 30 fathoms deep about 11 miles south of Portland Hill, according to the latest reports from Weymouth. There is nothing to indicate that her crew of 43 men have not perished. All the men were below when the boat left Portland for the maneuvers in which she was to take part as the weather was too heavy to allow them to remain on deck, it was said.

Until further investigation has been made it is impossible to tell just how the disaster occurred. The latest reports said that the L-24 rose by the dreadnaught and struck the latter's bow.

WATSON OUT FOR COOLIDGE

Indiana Senator Backs President by Refusing to Run

Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator James E. Watson of Indiana announced today that he would not be a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination.

Senator Watson's announcement left the way clear for President Coolidge to enter the Indiana presidential primary with Ewing Emison of Vincennes as the Coolidge campaign manager in that state.

Senator Watson issued only this statement: "I have concluded not to be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency."

PEOPLE'S FORUM

THE TAX SITUATION

Mr. Gunderson in a front page article found in the Fargo Forum of Jan. 4, states the stand taken by the Tax Payers Association of North Dakota. It is stated that present taxes are confiscatory and that immediate relief is necessary to the property owner. This relief is to be secured by a 35 percent cut in taxes. The writer will not attempt to deny the self-evident fact that taxes have increased and that they are a burden under existing conditions, but there are some facts in connection with this matter that should not be overlooked if this law is to be written on our statute books.

The contention is made that the proposed lowering of taxes will not close a part of our schools. It must be noted that in making a tax levy for school purposes there are certain fixed items to be cared for. Among these are interest on debts, retirement of bonds, insurance, and fuel. These cannot under any circumstances be lowered 35 percent since they are beyond the taxpayers control. Bus drivers are now receiving such low pay that no further material reduction can be made. Expenditures for repairs and supplies have been radically reduced during the past two years. This leaves but one item in which the proposed reduction can be absorbed and that is teachers' salaries. Unless the number of teachers is greatly reduced in each school, the cut in salaries will be more than 35 percent, and in most cases will be at least 50 percent. The average salary of a grade teacher in city and village schools does not at present exceed $129 a month. In country schools it probably will not average above $80 a month. A few receive more but many receive less. The proposed cut in taxes will reduce these salaries to $60 and $40 a month respectively. Living costs for the teacher are from $35 to $40 a month in cities and villages, probably somewhat less in the country. It cannot be expected that this can be reduced proportionately, nor is there a prospect for reduction of costs in clothing and railroad fares. Many teachers have debts to pay or dependents to support and they cannot be accused of disloyalty in seeking positions that are better paid. Thousands of farmers are seeking other means of livelihood because red blood alone will not pay bills. Present salaries, higher than formerly, are the result of salaries that at one time were too low. In the year 1920-21 teachers were paid practically what they asked because of a serious shortage. This proposed reduction cannot but create a more serious shortage and when the law is repealed we will see a rebound perhaps greater than before.

I have before me a tax receipt of 1922 for Stutsman county. On the back of this receipt is found the rate of taxation for each district in the county. There are sixty districts and the rate of taxation varies from 1.37 mills to 25.874 mills. Seventeen of the sixty districts have a tax rate for school purposes ranging from 1.37 mills to 5.043 mills. Forty districts, two-thirds of the county have a rate below 10 mills. The average tax rate for schools is 8.541 mills. If we consider a property valued at $10,000 the average school tax of 8.541 mills amounts to $85.41. A 35 percent reduction would be a saving of $29.90 on school taxes. In the seventeen districts where the rate is from 1.37 mills to 5.043 mills the tax on a $10,000 property ranges from $13.70 to $50.43 and the reduction secured by passing this law would be from $4.80 to $17.66. In two-thirds of the county the saving would be less than $35 on each $10,000 property valuation

Let us consider some of the other common items of expense. A man who owes $10,000 at 10 percent pays $1,000 in interest whereas the school tax averages $85.41 on a property valuation of equal amount. If we consider interest as a tax, loans bear a tax rate more than ten times that of our schools. As loan of $1,000 is a greater burden than the school tax on $10,000 worth of property. Local bankers are powerless to make any changes since eastern capital determines the rate of interest. Is not the above interest rate confiscatory to property to at least the same degree as our school tax? Could not concerted action convince outside interests that present rates bear a proportionate share in the financial burden imposed upon property owners of this state, and that in dispossessing property owners they are in danger of cutting their own throats?

If we consider freight rates applied to wheat we find the following facts. Considering wheat at $1.00, which is above the average prevailing price, we find that the freight rate on a bushel of wheat from Courtenay to Minneapolis is 12c. A $10,000 lot of wheat pays $1,200 in freight rates whereas the average school tax is $85.41 on property of like valuation. If we consider this rate as a tax, it is more than fourteen times greater than our school tax. This freight rate is confiscatory to a greater degree than all our taxes. Is there no way of convincing our railroads that an abnormally high rate will eventually cut off that source of income.

In consideration of the above facts, it is doubtful if the proposed law will bring the relief anticipated. Our present system of taxation is not equitable as the burden falls mainly upon the property owner. The penalty imposed on delinquent taxes is abnormally high and adds materially to the existing burden. Even if the proposed reduction is made, the injustice will remain. An honest effort should be made to equalize as well as reduce our taxes. The teachers of North Dakota have taken a substantial reduction in salaries and are willing to accept further cuts in order that schools may be kept open. We will be doing our young people an irreparable injustice in bringing about a condition in which educational opportunities will be cut off at the end of the eighth grade. Some of our country children may even be denied a common school education. This proposition should receive serious consideration from every angle and an honest state-wide effort be made to reduce all sources of abnormal expenditures. We should not be content to simply follow the line of least resistance.

A. SATERLIE,
Supt of Schools,
Courtenay, N. Dak.

BANK CLOSES

Washington, Jan. 11.—The Sioux Falls National Bank was closed on the order of the national bank examiner in charge of that district. In reporting his action today to the comptroller of the currency the manager merely said he had closed the bank because conditions warranted it.

VICTIMS OF MEXICAN INSURRECTION

Here is pictorial evidence that the rebellion in Mexico is real war. This picture was taken after the battle of Casas Grandes, and shows the rebel dead surrounded by some of the victorious federal troops. There were not more than 40 rebel dead, but the federals, who did not show their casualties, lost more than 300 men. The turmoil south of the Rio Grande is far from being a sham battle.

NEW SHRINE UNCOVERED

Excavators, However, Fail to Find Jewels and Treasure

Luxor, Egypt, Jan. 11.—The anticipations of the excavators that another cache of treasure, notably jewelry, might be disclosed between the second and third shrines of Tutenkhamun's canopic sepulchre have not been realized. After one of the most arduous pieces of work he has undertaken since the discovery of the tomb, Howard Carter succeeded in dismantling the front section of the lid of the second shrine, thereby revealing a greater part of the third casket and affording a glimpse into the space between the second and third shrines.

Find Beautiful Shrine.

It is understood nothing was found in this place. On the other hand, the third shrine stands revealed as one of the most beautiful of those surrounding the Pharaoh's sarcophagus. It is brightly gilded and, like the rest, abundantly inscribed with hieroglyphics, with golden ornamentation running around the cornice, and a roof of brilliant, shining red. The inside of the roof of the second casket is painted with figures of the gods, representations of the protective device of hawks' wings outspread and the cartouches of the king.

The front section of the roof was deposited in the ante-chamber of the tomb, and the other sections will be attacked tomorrow.

During the morning the remaining portion of the linen pall, swathed in cotton wood, was removed to the laboratory.

VETS BUREAU HEAD REMOVED

Washington, Jan. 11.—W. F. Lent, district manager of the Veterans Bureau office at New York, has been relieved by Director Hines pending a complete investigation of charges that liquor parties had been held in the district office there and that liquor was carried to a dinner at a hotel in a Veterans Bureau ambulance.

AVIATOR'S BODY THOUGHT FOUND

London, Jan. 11.—A body believed to be that of Lawrence B. Sperry, American aviator, missing since December 13 was found today at a place called The Gape-near-Rye., Sussex.

The body which was lying on the shore when discovered has not been fully identified but the garments are said to correspond to those worn by Sperry.

CAN'T IDENTIFY IT.

London, Jan. 11.—(By the A. P.)—An agent of the Sperry company sent to the Sussex shore to view the body discovered there reported this afternoon that he was unable to identify it as that of Lawrence B. Sperry, the American aviator, who had been missing since Dec. 13.

Our Dollar Special. Cyclamen plants, any color, $1.00 each. Will's Greenhouses, 319—3rd St. Phone 784-W. We deliver.

PINCHOT SEEKS DELEGATE SEAT

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—Gov. Pinchot today announced he will be a candidate for delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention next June.

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Nice Ripe, Fancy Bananas, (Not Over Ripe)
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Heinz small size. Extra special.
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Oranges
Assorted—Medium and Small—Fancy Juicy Valencias. (Cheaper than apples.)
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3 Bees Brand, Pure Strained Honey in glass. Special
3 Bottles for 45c

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Amenia Brand. Pure No. Dak. Product in 2 pound cans.
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Med. Red in ½ lb. cans. Very Good Grade.
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SATURDAY SPECIALS
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Poppy Brand Pure Red Fruit Jelly.
Per 1 gallon $1.85
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Brookdale gallon Pears, Per gal..... 75c
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Home Brand Pure Preserves, put up in ½ gal. Pails $1.35
Armour Brand Peanut Butter, put up in 5 lb. Pails, each $1.25
Queen Pop Corn, will pop. Per pkg.... 18c
Swedish Rye Crips, Per pkg 40c
Fancy Ford Dates, Per lb 30c
Hallowean Dates, Per lb 20c
Fancy Umbrella Figs, Per lb 55c
PURE HIGH TEST SWEET CREAM

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With each purchase of 3 pkgs Macaroni for 25c.
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A few Dressed Turkeys. Per lb. 25c
Hormel's Lean Bacon, by the strip. Per lb. 22c
Griffins Farm Made Sausage. Per lb. 30c
COFFEE
Richholt's Quality Coffee. 3 pounds 1.20
Richholt's Special Blend. 3 pound 1.00
Our guarantee on coffee. If not satisfied your money back. No better coffee on the market.
Guaranteed strictly fresh Eggs. Dozen 40c
Solid Pack No. 2 can Tomatoes, 2 cans 25c
9 cans $1.00.
Michigan Pears, large can. One can....... 25c
4 cans 90c.
10 bars Electric Spark Soap.... 50c
Swift's White Soap 30 bars $1.00
Snider's Sauer Kraut. large cans. 2 cans....... 25c
3 large pkgs Post Toasties or Corn Flakes... 40c
Hershys Cocoa, 2 pkgs regular 25c value 35c

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HELP WANTED—MALE

HELP WANTED—Male and female clerks for government postal and other good positions, $1,400-$2,300 yearly. Experience unnecessary. Further particulars free by writing G. W. Robbins, Civil Service Expert, 661 Burchell Bldg, Washington, D. C. 1-7-5t

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for general housework, Mrs. B. F. Tillotson, 200 West Broadway. Phone 828. 1-9-3t

WANTED AT ONCE—Experienced waitress. Phone 209 1-10-3t

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, 1-2 block north of St. Alexius hospital at 417 10th St. Heat, light and water furnished. Phone 535-R. 1-5-1w

FOR RENT—Warm furnished room, south front in modern home, two blocks west of postoffice, 201 First St. 1-7-5t

MODERN furnished room for rent; one person $15.00, two persons $20.00. 308 1-2 Main street. 1-10-1w

FOR RENT—Warm room supplied with hot and cold water. Single man preferred. 422 Fifth St 1-9-3t

FOR RENT—A furnished room for light housekeeping. Phone 329W. Mrs. Ada Rohrer. 1-9-3

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms for light housekeeping. Write 702 Tribune. 1-9-3t

FOR RENT—Room in modern house, suitable for two. 314 2nd St. Phone 514R. 1-10-3t.

FOR RENT—Furnished room; man only need apply, 613 3rd St. Phone 746. 1-9-3t

FOUND

FOUND—Fountain pen. Owner call 575-W after 6 p. m. 1-10-2t

WORK WANTED

WORK WANTED—Experienced girl wants general housework in private home. Write Tribune 701. 1-9-3t

WANTED—Place to work for room and board and use of piano. Write 700 Tribune. 1-9-3t

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By lady stenographer who has completed a business course. Write Mary E. Morton, Driscoll, N. D., R. 1. 1-9-1w

LOST

LOST—A small ladies purse with a sum of money at the Eltinge Theatre Jan. 8th. Finder kindly return to the Tribune for reward. 1-10-3t

LOST—Pair of grey tortoise shell rim glasses Wednesday, between the Park and Finney' Drug store. Phone 809-J. 1-10-2.

LOST—A my kid glove, white woolen wrist. Finder please return to McKenzie hotel and receive reward. 1-10-2t

FOR SALE OR RENT HOUSES AND FLATS

FOR RENT—Strictly modern, well furnished eight-room house; suitable for roomers. Can have immediate possession, if desired. Call No. 4 Ave. A. East after 7 p. m., or phone 247. 1-9-3t

FOR RENT—New, steam heated, modern flat. Also furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 183. Bismarck Business College. 1-4-2w

FOR RENT—Partly furnished, two-room apartment, heat, lights and water, $35, at 722 Sixth St. Phone 614 after 5 p. m.. 1-9-3t

FOR RENT—Six room and bath, modern bungalow; also three rooms and bath in the upstairs of a house. Close in. Phone 905. 1-10-tf.

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room house, remodeled and redecorated. Ivory finished throughout breakfast room. Phone 697. 1-10-1w

FOR RENT—Strictly modern apartment in Rose Apartments. F. W. Murphy. Phone 852. 12-29-tf

FOR RENT—Five-room house, partly modern, located on 16th St. Phone 788. 1-9-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

MUSIC SCHOOL

ATTENTION:
Piano lessons for Children until 15 years, 50c a lesson; Beginners older than 15 years, 75c a lesson; Higher grade, $1.00.

FOR SALE—Red Jersey Boar, 250 pounds in weight, can be registered. Phone 10F4. Julius Aandahl. 1-10-3t.

FOR SALE—Early Ohio potatoes. 50 cents a bushel, delivered. Phone 10F4. Julius Aandahl. 1-10-3t

WANTED—Large clean cotton rags. Three cents per pound, Bismarck Tribune Co. 12-26-tf

FOR SALE—Potatoes, 40c per bushel Phone 891. 1-7-1w

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the terms and conditions of the two certain collateral loan notes, and the pledge agreements therein contained made by the Timmer State Bank of Timmer, North Dakota, as pledgor, to the Bank of North Dakota, a corporation of Bismarck, North Dakota, as pledgee, both of which said notes are dated on the 17th day of January 1921, one of said notes being in the sum of $7500.00 with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, and was payable sixty days after the date thereof, and that there is due and payable upon said note on this date the sum of $8816.71; and the other of said notes being in the sum of $7500.00 with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum and was payable thirty days after the date thereof, and that there is due and payable upon said note on this date the sum of $1756.93, making a total indebtedness of $10,573.64, claimed to be due at date of this notice, and demand for payment of said notes having been made, and the same remaining due and unpaid; notice is hereby given that said pledge agreement will be foreclosed by a sale of the collateral notes and evidence of debt hereinafter described and being the evidence of debt delivered to and pledged with the Bank of North Dakota, under each of said collateral notes as security thereto, which sale will be made at public auction at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, Burleigh County, North Dakota on the 22nd day of January, 1924 at two o'clock in the afternoon.

That the evidence of debt so pledged, being certain promissory notes by the hereinafter named parties as makers to said Timmer State Bank as payee and which will be sold as aforesaid, are described as follows:

Name	Date	Due Date	Amount
C. H. Anderson	Feb. 26, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	$ 480.00
R. Barth	Dec. 6, 1923	Sept. 1, 1922	30.00
Wendline Bechler	June 25, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	1842.70
George D. Berger	Nov. 21, 1922	Sept. 1, 1923	1012.15
Stephen Berger	Apr. 30, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	409.60
Julius Bullinger	Mar. 21, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	100.15
Jacob Beker	Oct. 25, 1922	Sept. 1, 1923	793.00
A. J. Ditto	Apr. 30, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	788.50
Frank Dworshak	Dec. 18, 1922	Jan. 18, 1923	325.70
Mat F. Erhart	June 18, 1921	Nov 1, 1922	964.56
Ralph Geis	Jan. 15, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	49.05
A. E. Ginzkey	Nov. 14, 1921	Sept. 1, 1922	1210.20
A. E. Ginzkey	Nov. 14, 1921	On Demand	75.00
Chris Glavkee	Nov. 6, 1922	Sept 1, 1923	400.60
John S. Gustafson	Dec. 13, 1921	Sept. 13, 1922	358.05
E. H. Heitkamp	Apr. 25, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	1004.05
Edward L. Holliday	Nov. 15, 1921	On Demand	355.55
Vande Klashorst	July 7, 1921	Nov. 1, 1921	73.70
E. M. Kertzman	Dec. 29, 1921	Nov. 1, 1922	67.60
Jennie Knowles	Dec. 26, 1922	Aug. 15, 1923	419.20
George Koch	Sept. 30, 1920	On Demand	94.00
Albert Kottke	Oct. 9, 1920	Apr. 1, 1921	513.00
F. Kottsick			70.00
A. K. Krueger	Dec. 21, 1921	On Demand	1042.45
W. F. Krueger	Dec. 17, 1921	Sept. 1, 1922	2210.46
Peter Lang	Dec. 2, 1918	Jan. 1, 1919	600.00
Hans J. Madsen	Dec. 17, 1921	Sept. 1, 1922	90.20
Wm. A. Meyer	Feb. 20, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	150.00
Clyde Nolan	Oct. 22, 1921	On Demand	971.23
Nels P. Pederson	Dec. 14, 1922	Sept. 1, 1923	491.20
Anton Ressler	Dec. 7, 1922	Sept. 1, 1923	74.75
F. P. Ressler	Nov. 1, 1922	Oct. 1, 1923	150.00
F. P. Schmidt	May 13, 1920	On Demand	305.00
Gabriel Schmidt	Jan. 9, 1923	Feb. 9, 1923	427.60
Gabriel Schmidt	Jan. 9, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	358.60
Mich J. Schmidt	Nov. 18, 1922	On Demand	125.00
P. C. Seerup	Apr. 30, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	214.40
Carl Sjoquist	May 4, 1923	Aug. 2, 1923	900.60
Otto Sjoquist	Nov. 26, 1921	On Demand	13.50
Otto Sjoquist	Nov 26, 1921	Sept. 1, 1922	172.38
Christ Wetzstein	May 17, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	531.60
Jacob Weinberger	Dec. 1, 1921	Sept. 1, 1922	744.58
Adam Yokum	Dec. 29, 1922	Sept. 1, 1923	138.60
George Zentner	Apr. 20, 1923	Sept. 1, 1923	604.70

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 31st day of December, 1923.
THE BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA.
Pledgee.
A. C. BRAINARD,
Agent for Pledgee.
Bismarck, North Dakota.
P. H. BUTLER,
Attorney for Pledgee.
Bismarck, North Dakota

within 4 months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at the office of F. E. McCurdy, in the city of Bismarck, in said Burleigh County.
Dated Jan. 3 A. D. 1924
CHAS. FISHER,
Administrator.
First publication on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1924.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Hattie Lutgens, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Chas Fisher, Administrator of the Estate of Hattie Lutgens, late of the city of Rochester, in the County of Olmstead and State of Minnesota, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of John Paulson, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Fred Paulson, Administrator of the Estate of John Paulson, late of the city of Windom, in the County of Jackson and State of Minnesota, deceased, to the creditors of,

and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within 4 months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at the office of F. E. McCurdy, his resident agent in the City of Bismarck, in said Burleigh County.
Dated November 22, A. D. 1923.
FRED PAULSON,
Administrator
First publication on the 28th day of December A. D. 1923.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Martin Anderson and Edna Anderson, his wife, mortgagors to the Union Investment Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, dated the 20th day of December, 1918, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 11 o'clock, A. M. and recorded in Book 151 of Mortgages, at page 543, and assigned by said mortgagee by an instrument in writing to the State Bank of Cold Spring, Cold Spring, Minnesota, a corporation, dated the 25th day of January, 1919, and filed for record in said office of the Register of Deeds on the 26th day of October, 1923, at 9:50 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book 175 of Assignments at page 116, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, on the 12th day of January, 1924, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M., to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows, to-wit: The East half of the Northwest quarter (E½NW¼) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section Eighteen (18), Township One hundred forty-two (142), North of Range Seventy-five (75) West. There will be due on such mortgage on the date of sale the sum of Seven hundred seventy-one and 56-100 dollars together with the costs of foreclosure.

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota this 5th day of December, 1923.
State Bank of Cold Springs,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
By G. Olgeirson,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Bismarck, N. Dak.
(12-7-14-21-28 1-4-11)

A Correct Decision

My wife is like an umpire—she never thinks I'm safe when I'm out.—Washington and Lee Mink.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the terms and conditions of that certain collateral loan note and the pledge agreement therein contained made by the Farmers & Merchants Bank of Cogswell, North Dakota, as pledgor to the Bank of North Dakota of Bismarck, North Dakota, as pledgee, which said note is dated on the 30th day of July, 1923, being in the sum of $3600.00 and payable ninety days after the date thereof, with interest thereon at the rate of seven one-half per cent per annum until paid, that there is claimed to be due and payable upon said note on this date, the sum of $2999.81, and demand for payment of said note having been made and the same remaining due and unpaid: notice is hereby given that said pledge agreement will be foreclosed by a sale of the collateral notes and evidence of debt hereinafter described and being the evidence of debt delivered to and pledged with the Bank of North Dakota under said collateral note as security thereto, which sale will be made at public auction at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, Burleigh County, North Dakota on the 22nd day of January, 1924 at two o'clock in the afternoon.

That the evidence of debt so pledged, being certain promissory notes by the hereinafter named parties as makers to said Farmers & Merchants Bank of Cogswell as payee and which will be sold as aforesaid, are described as follows:

Name	Date	Due Date	Amount
G. H. Cue	June 16, 23	Oct 1, 1923	$2515.75
O. A. Cuddington	Sept. 20, 23	Oct 10, 1924	109.75
R. C. Gallagher	Dec. 30, 22	Six Months	175.50
Steve Gardner	Apr. 23, 23	Oct 1, 1923	153.60
Wm. Hentgen	Nov. 10, 23	Oct 1, 1924	1566.50
O. C. Melroe	Jan. 12, 23	M[illegible] 6, 1923	1322.00
W. J. Montgomery	Feb. 15, 23	Six Months	979.00
Geo. Staeber	Sept. 26, 23	Sixty days	120.00
H. L. Strouse	Jan. 2, 23	Oct 1, 1923	60.00
Arthur Thompson	Mar. 20, 23	Sept 1, 1923	821.80
M. J. Twette	Sept. 20, 23	Oct 1, 1924	100.00
Ben Vandertaan	Aug. 27, 23	Six Months	51.00
Otto Witt	Dec. 28, 22	Six Months	119.75

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 31st day of December, 1923
THE BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA,
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A. C. BRAINARD,
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MANDAN NEWS

PIONEER DIES AT AGE OF 104

Carl Brown, aged 104, one of the oldest pioneers of the two Dakotas, passed away last Sunday at Yankton, S. D., where he makes his home with a daughter. Word of his death was received here yesterday by his two grandsons, Val and William Brown. The cause of the aged man's death was general debility incident to his advanced age. The news of the death of his son, Thomas Brown, father of the two brothers in Mandan, is believed to have speeded his demise.

FIVE-SIXTH VERDICT

The first five-sixth verdict of a jury in Morton county district court was reported at 5 o'clock yesterday morning after 12 hour deliberation, jurors standing 10 to 2 on the merits of an unusual finding in the case of the Minneapolis Threshing Machine Co. vs. Jos. Huncovsky, farmer living near Mandan.

The company was suing for collection for the purchase price of a tractor which Mr. Huncovsky declared it was received in bad order.

ALEX BARCLEY DIES

Alex Barcley a resident of Mandan and vicinity for the past 15 years, passed away Wednesday evening following a lingering illness with heart trouble.

After leaving the railroad employ as fireman a number of years ago he has been employed at various farms near the city since but was forced to give up his work some time ago. He was unmarried. One brother a Pullman conductor, was in the city this morning to arrange for the funeral services.

Services were held this morning from the Kennelly chapel. Burial will take place in the local cemetery.

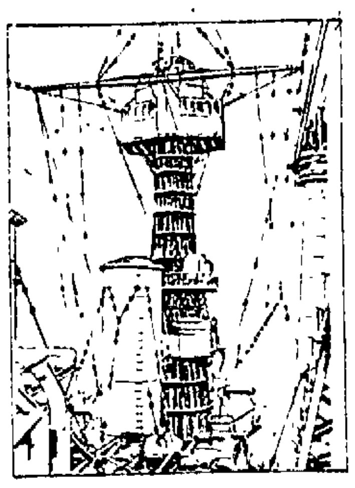
Tribune Want Ads Bring Results.

What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Insulators on Warship Like Strings of Beads

Every rope and stay of the "Colorado," Uncle Sam's new electrically driven warship, is thoroughly insulated, the knobs giving it the appearance of being decorated with strings of large beads. Because of the great amount of current generated aboard the vessel and also because the radio is so necessary for its guidance no electrical leakages can be permitted anywhere aboard. According to navy officials, the craft is one of the best insulated ships afloat.



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Cities Half Century Hence to be "Built in Air"

Moving the calendar ahead fifty years some noted experts see American cities with towering skyscrapers beside which even the tallest and most beautiful buildings of today will seem very ordinary. Even the small towns will have structures as large as those now considered huge. Street traffic will have been almost eliminated, workers will travel in subways, dirigibles, or on elevated roads at high speed. The telephone will have added improvements. Radio sets will be essential in every office and home. Houses will be heated by electricity in a few minutes and little coal will be used in the homes or office buildings. The cinema will have been developed for pocket motion-picture cameras and movies in the theaters will have been given speech. College students will record their lessons by wireless and ministers will broadcast their sermons.

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Automatic Gear to Replace Clutch in Autos

In the motor world [illegible] England [illegible] automatic [illegible] gear which dispenses with the clutch [illegible] and the usual type of gearshift [illegible] a new era in the [illegible] will be marked by [illegible] elements in the vehicle's mechanism. The device is said to [illegible]

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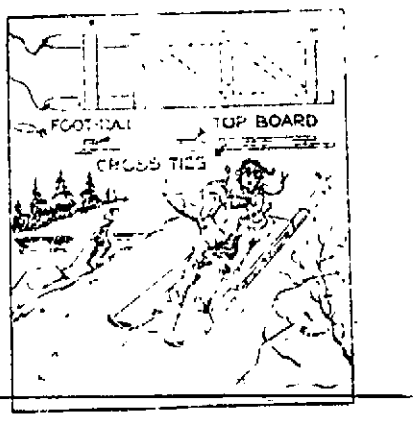
Phone Receiver Held to Ear by Bracket; Frees Hands

[illegible] a person using a telephone equipped with a folding steel arm recently developed that holds the receiver to the ear. [illegible] Carried to the stand [illegible] adjusted to any position and with a single movement of the attachment the receiver hook is raised to signal the operator. To disconnect the holder is folded back. Its weight is counterbalanced by a [illegible] under the telephone.

A Ski Toboggan

[illegible]



minute. A sled that is built as to practically eliminate this danger is shown in the drawing.

It is made from a pair of old skis securely fastened together by means of three cross-pieces and two longitudinal pieces, as shown in the upper detail. The footboard and top board are fastened to the skis by means of wood screws, and a hole is drilled through the end of each ski to take a [illegible]. This sled will slide just as easily and just as far as any other sled and will not break through the snow crust [illegible] due to the width of the runners. [illegible] in weight and can be [illegible] managed by small children.

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Cleaning an Oil-Soaked Belt

To clean an oil-soaked belt, coil the belt loosely in a [illegible] and fill the box with whiting, being sure to get the whiting between the surfaces for the entire length. Let it remain thus overnight and the whiting will absorb the oil and leave the belt clean.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY

YOUR MOVE!!
HOLD ER NEWT SHE'S AREARIN
1883
BUY YOUR INK HERE MORE BLOTS TO THE BOTTLE AT HALF THE COST CORKS FREE WITH EVERY BOTTLE SOLD
GLASS PENS FREE WITH EVERY DOZEN BOTTLES OF RED INK
YOU SAY HE'S GIVING A LOT OF VALUE FOR A DIME?
NO-NO-A FELLER MIGHT WANT TO WRITE A LETTER SOME TIME
OUR PENS JUST FIT THE INK BOTTLES WE SELL
WRITING INK FOR RIGHT OR LEFT HANDED WRITERS
WHUTS TH' FUSS?
STANLEY
HODGES PROGRESSIVE BOOK STORE WAS AGAIN PACKED WITH CUSTOMERS WHO TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE WONDERFUL INK BARGAINS
NEA

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

BY ALLMAN

HELLO THERE, CHARLIE! WHEN DID YOU GET BACK? I HEARD YOU HAD GONE SOUTH-
HELLO, TOM I GOT BACK LAST WEEK-HAD A FINE TIME
OH, HELLO, OLIVIA-JUST A MINUTE-I'D LIKE TO HAVE YOU MEET A FRIEND OF MINE
OH, HELLO, TOM
OLIVIA, MEET MR. PETERSON-MR. PETERSON JUST RETURNED FROM THE CANARY ISLANDS
GLAD TO MEET YOU, MISS OLIVIA!
DELIGHTED I'M SURE
MR. PETERSON WAS DOWN TO THE CANARY ISLANDS FOR SIX MONTHS AND HAD A WONDERFUL TIME
WE WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE YOU COME OUT TO THE HOUSE SOME EVENING AND SING FOR US
NEA
Allman

OUT OUR WAY

BY WILLIAMS

IF I DISPEER SOME O' THESE DAYS, YOU'LL KNOW I'VE LEFT HOME-CUZ IT'S GITTIN' ORFUL AT OUR HOUSE. WY ONY THIS MORNIN' IF I HADN' A SNEAKED AWAY I'D OF HATTA SHOVEL TH' SNOW OFF TH' WALK.
MY DAR SAID HE'D GIMME A QUARTER IF I'D CLEAN OUR WALKS-BUT YA DONT KETCH ME DOIN' ALL THAT WORK WEN I KIN BE JOYIN' MYSELF GOSH NO-NOT ME.
THERE MUST BE SOME DIFFERENCE
J.R.WILLIAMS
NEA

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Tag Knows

BY BLOSSER

DONE QUICKER
SPELL FELT
F-E-L-T
RIGHT NOW WHAT IS FELT?
WHY, I'M SURPRISED THAT YOU STUMBLE ON AN EASY WORD LIKE THAT-TAG, YOU TELL FRECKLES WHAT IS FELT?
A WHIPPIN'!
BLOSSER
NEA

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43 LIVES ARE THOUGHT LOST ON SUBMARINE

Nothing to Indicate That Any Men of the L-24 Crew Escaped

London, Jan. 11 — The British submarine [illegible]

WATSON OUT FOR COOLIDGE

Indiana Senator Backs President by Refusing to Run

[illegible]

PEOPLE'S FORUM

THE TAX SITUATION

Mr. [illegible] front page article [illegible] Fargo Forum of Jan. [illegible] the [illegible] of North Dakota [illegible] that present taxes are confiscatory and that immediate relief is necessary to the property owner. This relief is to be secured [illegible] per cent cut in taxes. The writer will not attempt to [illegible] the self-evident fact that taxes have increased and that they are burden[illegible] under existing condition. But there are some facts in connection with this matter that should not be overlooked if the [illegible] is to be written on our statute books.

The contention is made that the proposed lowering of taxes will not [illegible] school. It must be noted that [illegible] levy for school purposes there are certain [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] There are sixty districts [illegible] Seventeen [illegible] have a tax rate for school purposes ranging [illegible] mills [illegible] Forty [illegible] two-third of the county [illegible] below 10 mill. The average tax rate for schools is 8.541 mill. If we consider a property valued at $10,000 the average school tax of 8.41 mills amounts to $85.41. A [illegible] percent reduction would be [illegible] saving of $2.00 on school taxes. In the seventeen districts where the rate is from 1.57 mills to 5.011 mills the tax on a $10,000 property ranges from $15.70 to $50.11 and the reduction secured by passing the law would be from $1.50 to $17.46. In two-thirds of the county the saving would be less than $5 on each $10,000 property valuation.

Let us consider some of the other common items of expense. A man who owes $10,000 at 10 percent pays $1,000 in interest whereas the school tax averages $85.41 on a property valuation of equal amount. [illegible]

[illegible] This problem should receive serious consideration from every angle and an honest, state-wide effort be made to reduce all sources of abnormal expenditures. We should not be content to simply follow the line of least resistance.

A. SATERLIE
Supt. of Schools
Courtenay, N. Dak.

BANK CLOSES

Washington, Jan. 11 — The Sioux [illegible] National Bank was closed on the order of the national bank examiner in charge [illegible] In reporting his action to [illegible] the comptroller of the currency the manager merely said he had closed the bank because conditions warranted it.

VICTIMS OF MEXICAN INSURRECTION

[illegible] The picture was taken after the [illegible] victories as federal troops [illegible] their [illegible] more [illegible]

NEW SHRINE UNCOVERED

Excavators, However, Fail to Find Jewels and Treasure

Luxor, Egypt, Jan. 11 — The anticipations of the excavators that another cache of treasure, notably jewelry, might be disclosed between the second and third shrines of Tutenkhamun's canopic sepulchre have not been realized. After one of the most arduous pieces of work he has undertaken since the discovery of the tomb, Howard Carter succeeded in dismantling the front section of the lid of the second shrine, thereby revealing a greater part of the third casket and affording a glimpse into the space between the second and third shrines.

Find Beautiful Shrine

It is understood nothing was found in this place. On the other hand, the third shrine stands revealed as one of the most beautiful of those surrounding the Pharaoh's sarcophagus. It is brightly gilded and, like the rest, abundantly inscribed with hieroglyphics with golden ornamentation running around the cornice, and a roof of brilliant, shining red. The inside of the roof of the second casket is painted with figures of the gods, representations of the protective device of hawks' wings outspread and the cartouches of the king.

The front section of the roof was deposited in the ante-chamber of the tomb, and the other sections will be attacked tomorrow.

During the morning the remaining portion of the linen pall, swathed in cotton wood, was removed to the laboratory.

VETS BUREAU HEAD REMOVED

Washington, Jan. 11 — W. F. Lent, district manager of the Veterans Bureau office at New York, has been relieved by Director Hines pending a complete investigation of charges that liquor parties had been held in the district office there and that liquor was carried to a dinner at a hotel in a Veterans Bureau ambulance.

AVIATOR'S BODY THOUGHT FOUND

London, Jan. 11 — A body believed to be that of Lawrence B. Sperry, American aviator, missing since December 13 was found today at a place called The Gape-near Rye, Sussex.

The body which was lying on the shore when discovered has not been fully identified but the garments are said to correspond to those worn by Sperry.

CAN'T IDENTIFY IT

London, Jan. 11 — (By the A. P.) — An agent of the Sperry company sent to the Sussex shore to view the body discovered there reported this afternoon that he was unable to identify it as that of Lawrence B. Sperry, the American aviator, who had been missing since Dec. 13.

PINCHOT SEEKS DELEGATE SEAT

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 11. — Gov. Pinchot today announced he will be a candidate for delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention next June.

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Swift's White Soap 30 bars $1.00
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SALMON
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3 for 25c——6 for 45c
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